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I HATE

FAIRYLAND



VOLUME TWO:
FLUFF MY LIFE



*“Oh my! She killed my husband!
Did you see that? She killed him
so fluffing hard! I wonder if she’ll
autograph him!”*

- Filthy, recently
widowed peasant

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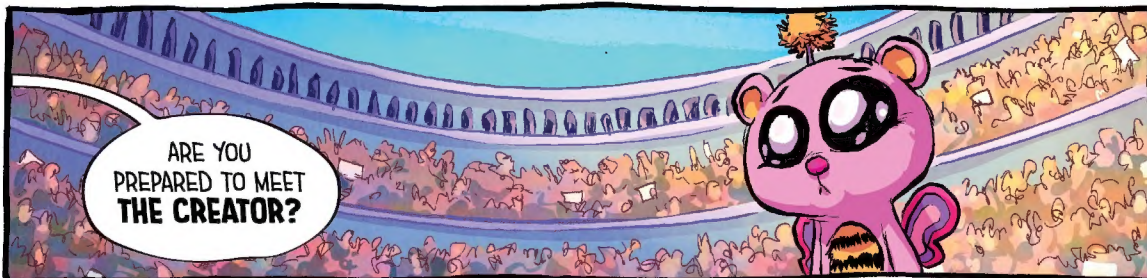
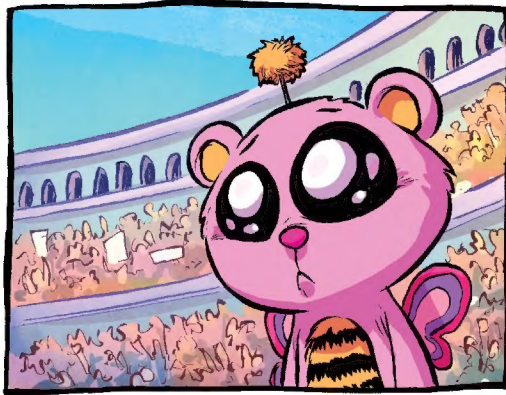
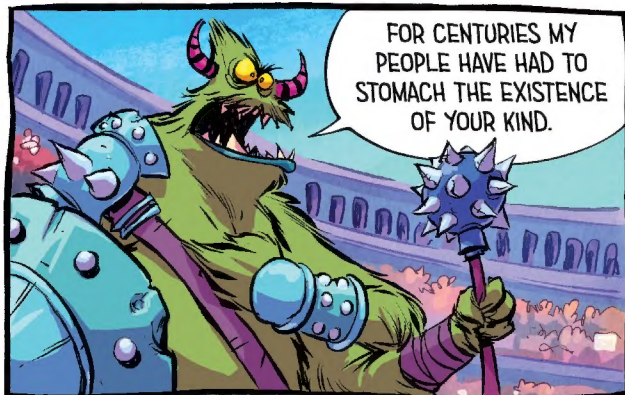
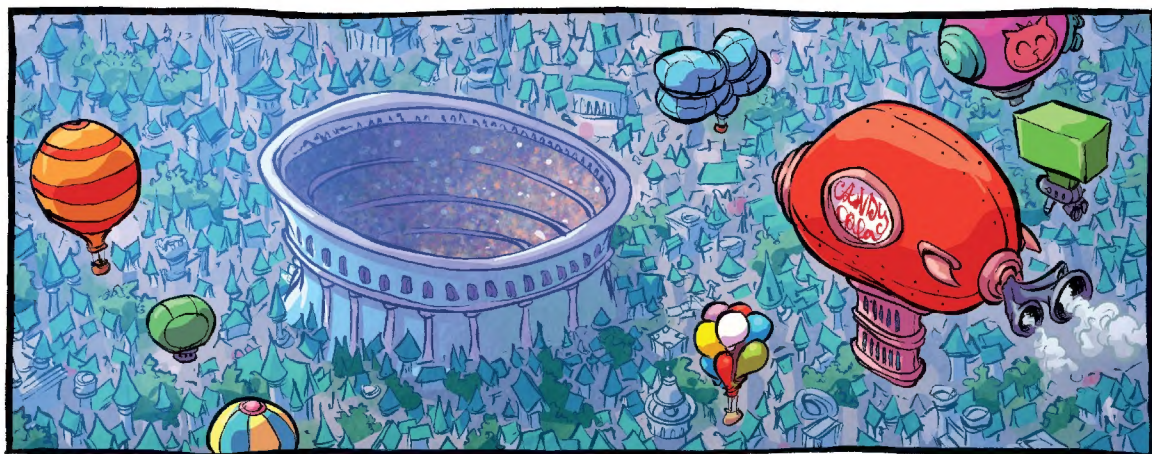
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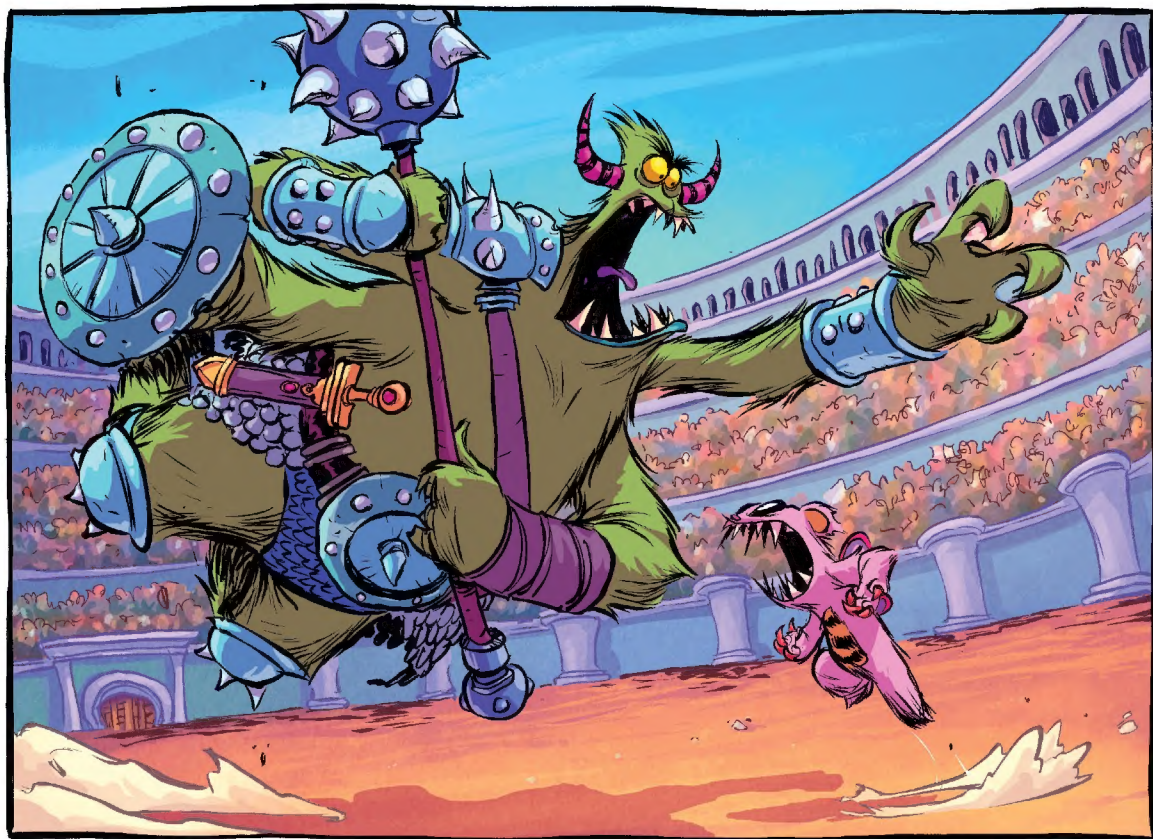
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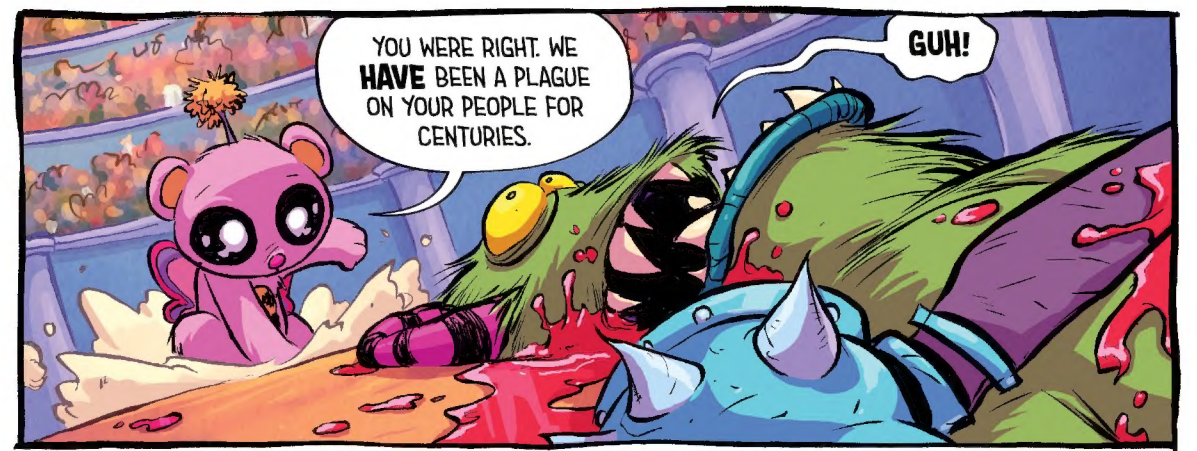


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YOU WERE RIGHT. WE
HAVE BEEN A PLAGUE
ON YOUR PEOPLE FOR
CENTURIES.

GUH!



AND YOU WILL
GO INTO THE NEXT
WORLD KNOWING THAT
WE WILL **CONTINUE**
TO BE A PLAGUE
FOR CENTURIES
MORE.

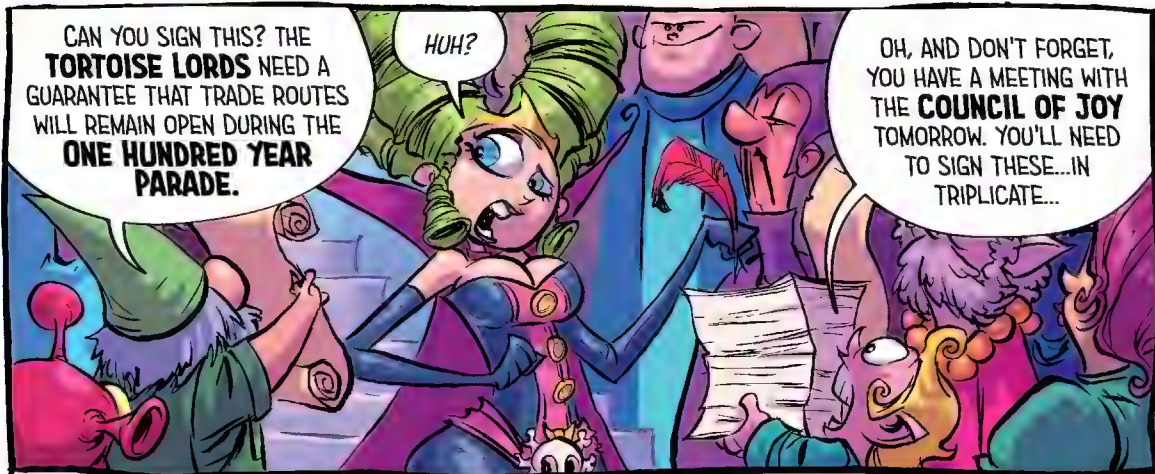
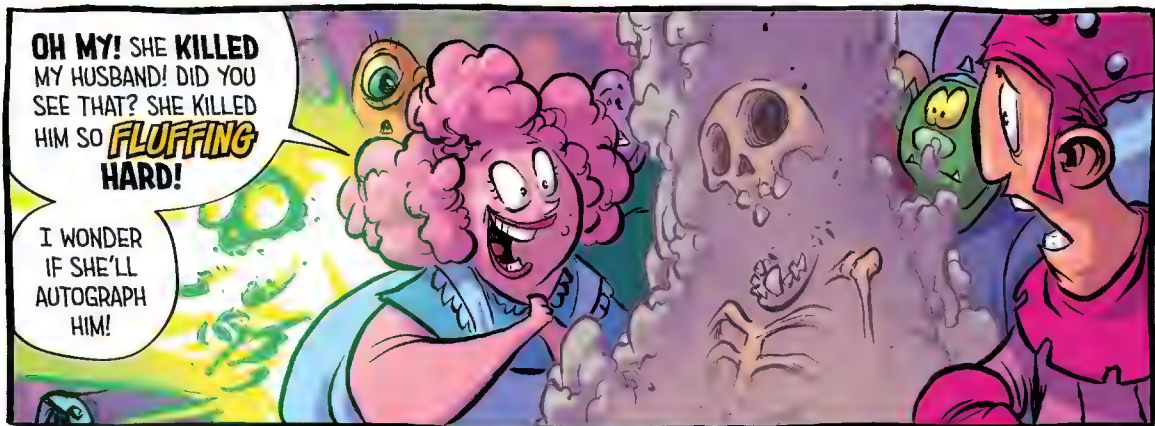


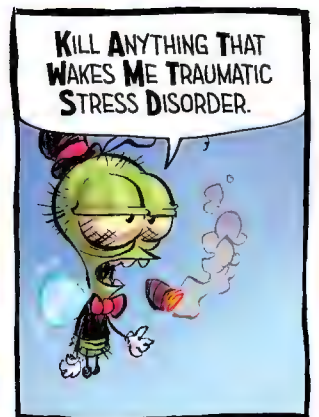
I AM **HUP** OF THE
BUFFLE TRUFFS, AND
I OFFER UP TRIBUTE TO OUR
MOST POWERFUL AND
GLORIOUS RULER...

...QUEEN
GÉRTRUDE!



GERT OF THRONES







"ENACT YOUR EVIL
SCHEMES AND TAKE
OVER ALL THE LANDS..."

"PILLAGE, AND PLUNDER, AND
BUILD YOUR RICHES BEYOND
IMAGINATION, BURNING OUT
ANYONE WHO DEFIES YOU..."

"BECOME FIERY
EVIL EYEBALLS
THAT WATCH THE
WORLD BURN AS
YOU RAIN DOWN
YOUR EVIL..."

"THOUGH
THAT OPTION
IS VERY **HOT**."

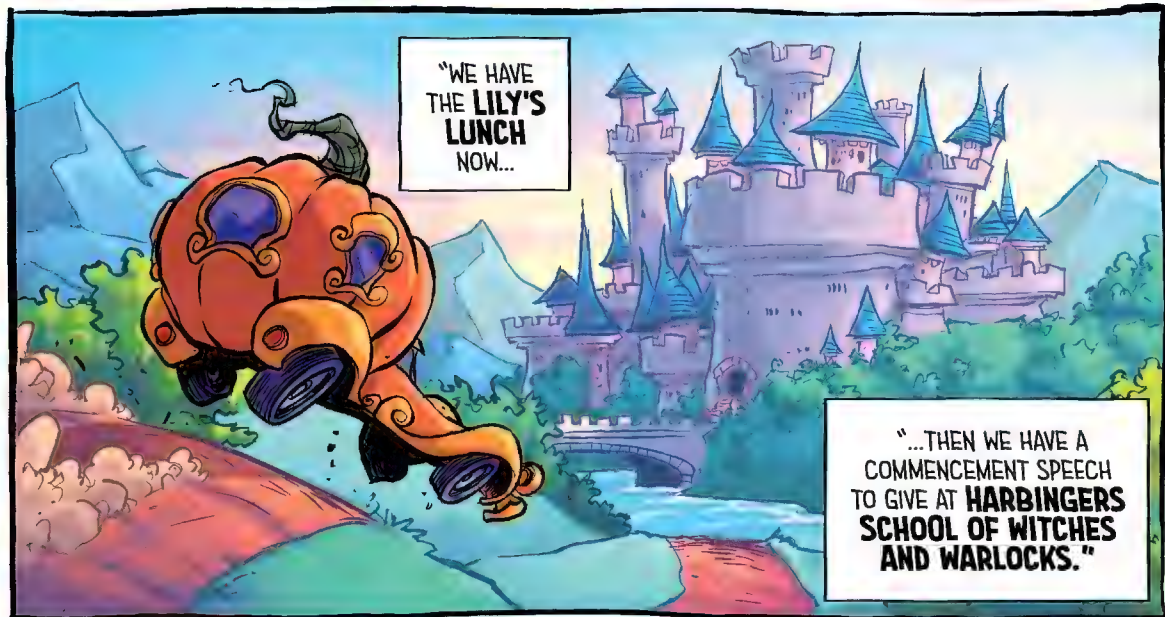
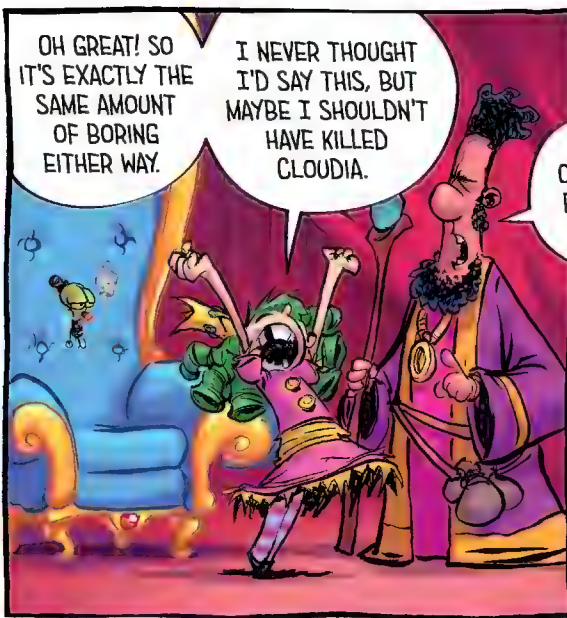
"...OH, WAIT. SPOKE TOO SOON.
AS EVIL QUEEN, YOU SEND YOUR HENCHMEN,
HORDES, DARK WIZARDS, AND OTHER ALL-AROUND
SCOURGE TO DO THAT STUFF. WHILE YOU..."

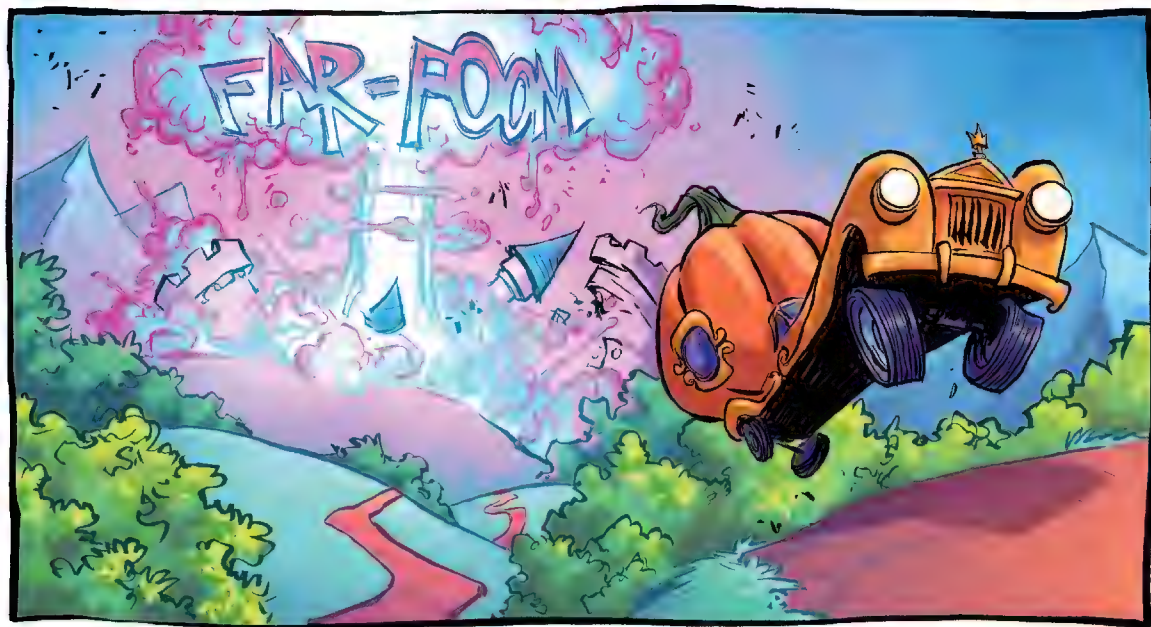
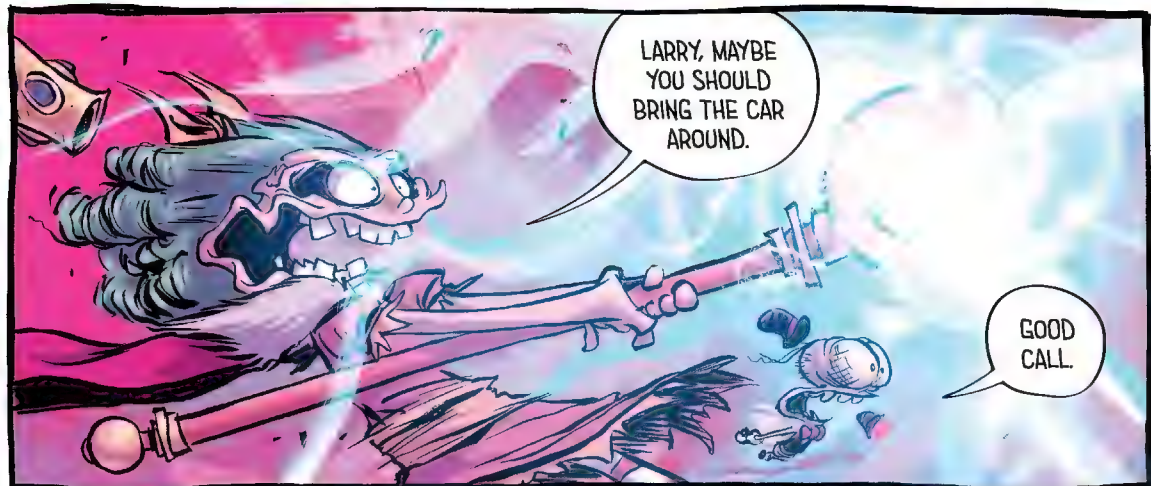
"...SIT."

"ON A
THRONE."

"IN AN EMPTY
THRONE ROOM."









AND IT CONTINUED LIKE THIS...



...IN EVERY LAND...



...IN EVERY SEA...



...IN EVERY PERSON...



...IN EVERY BEING, WHETHER BIG...



...OR SMALL...



I'LL BRING THE CAR AROUND.

GOOD CALL.

IT'S BEEN MONTHS. HOW LONG DO YOU THINK IT WILL TAKE FOR ME TO GET THIS QUEEN THING DOWN?

IS THIS A TRICK QUESTION?



ONE YEAR AND...

...AN ASSASSINATION
ATTEMPT BY AN
ORPHANED WARLOCK...

...AN ATTACK FROM THE
FARM LORDS FOR IMPROPER
DISPOSAL OF NON-EATABLE
BEINGS, AKA **EATING THEM...**

...THE BUILDING OF AN OBNOXIOUSLY
LARGE **CANDY** WALL TO KEEP THE
ARMY OF KINGS FROM MAKING THEIR
WAY ACROSS THE LANDS TO STEAL
THE SEAT OF POWER...

...AN INVASION OF IMPSTERS SEEKING
REVENGE FOR IMPROPER DISPOSAL
OF NON-RECYCLABLE CORPSES...

...AND THE THING WITH
THE COUSIN, WHO WAS
ALSO THE MOM, BUT
KIND OF THE SISTER,
WHO STABBED THE
UNCLE, WHO CHEATED
ON HIS HUSBAND, AND
ENDED UP BEFRIENDING
A KRAKEN BEFORE
BECOMING SOME SORT
OF GOOPY THING AND
DEVOURING HALF THE
LAND OF TIZZLE...



...AND WHOLE LOT OF
OTHER CONVOLUTED
MESSSES LATER...

FLUFF
THE
QUEEN

MAN THIS PLACE
HAS GONE TO **SPELL**
SINCE GERTRUDE HAS
BEEN QUEEN.

SHHH. WATCH WHAT
YOU SAY. I HEARD
THE HAT MAKER GOT
EXECUTED BECAUSE
HE LEFT A **LYNT**
IN THAT FLY'S
BOWLER.

GET OUT OF HERE. I
HEARD SHE'S LOSING
HER MIND. THE PRESSURE
OF THE CROWN IS
TOO MUCH.

EITHER WAY, YOU
WON'T CATCH ME
ANYWHERE NEAR
THAT CASTLE.

I'VE GOT THE
CONTAINERS YOU
ORDERED.

WHERE DO
YOU WANT
'EM?

INSIDE--UP THE
STAIRS UNTIL YOU REACH
THE TOP OF THE TOWER.
THEY'RE FOR THE **QUEEN**.
SO BE CAREFUL.

WELL, THINGS
JUST TOOK
A TURN.

OH MY **BOG!**
WHAT COULD THE
QUEEN POSSIBLY
WANT WITH US?!









WHILE THAT WOULD PLEASE
MANY CREATURES NEAR AND
FAR, I'M AFRAID YOU
MISUNDERSTOOD
ME.

GERTRUDE,
YOU ARE
FIRED.



JUST LIKE THAT?
I'M NOT STUCK
HERE BEING QUEEN
ANYMORE?

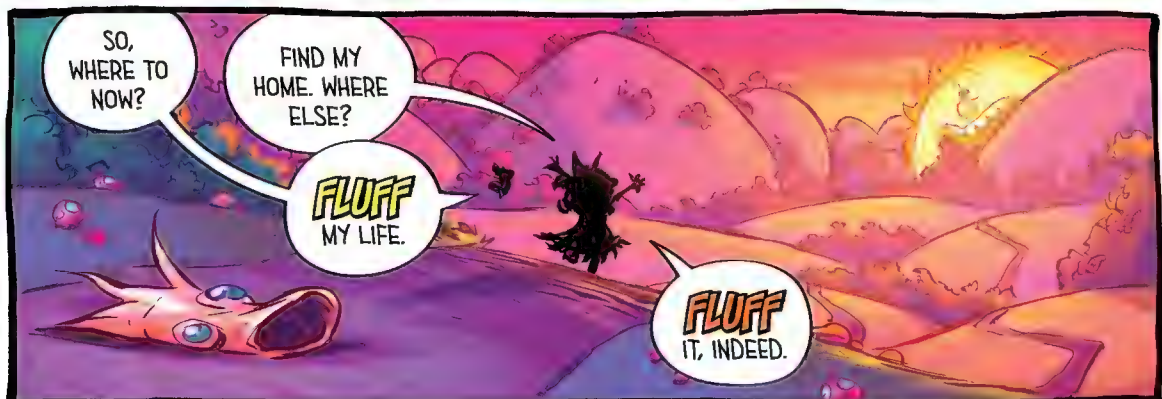
JUST LIKE THAT,
DEAR. YOU ARE
FREE TO ROAM
FAIRYLAND AS
YOU LIKE.

ALL WE ASK
IS THAT YOU TIDY
UP A BIT BEFORE
YOU LEAVE.



I DON'T
THINK SHE MEANT,
"**BURN THE
PLACE DOWN,**"
WHEN SHE SAID,
"TIDY UP."

SOME
THINGS CAN ONLY
BE CLEANSED
WITH **FIRE**!



SO,
WHERE TO
NOW?

FIND MY
HOME. WHERE
ELSE?

FLUFF
MY LIFE.

FLUFF
IT, INDEED.



SEVEN





ONCE
UPON A
TIME...

FAIRY-FREEZY, FAIRY-
FREEZY, TASTE LIKE MAGIC
ON MY TONGUEY-TONGUE-
TONGUE... ♪




FAIRY-FREEZY,
FAIRY-FREEZY, YOU'VE
CAST YOUR SPELL
ON MY TUMMY-
TUM-TUM! ♪



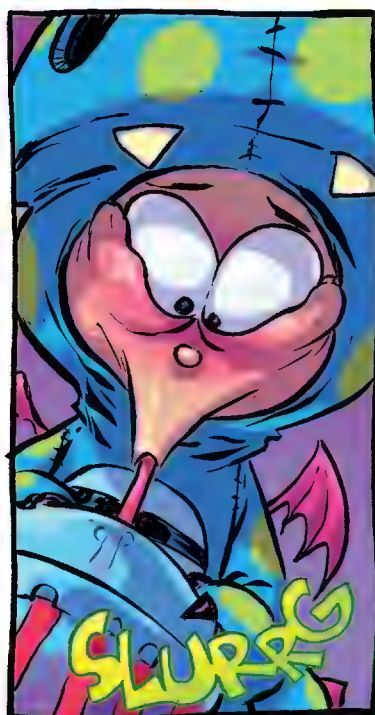
DUNCAN,
WHAT HAVE I TOLD
YOU ABOUT SINGING
THAT SONG? IT'S
DISTURBING.

AND WHY
CAN'T YOU TRICK
OR TREAT ON
HALLOWEEN LIKE
ALL THE NORMAL
KIDS?

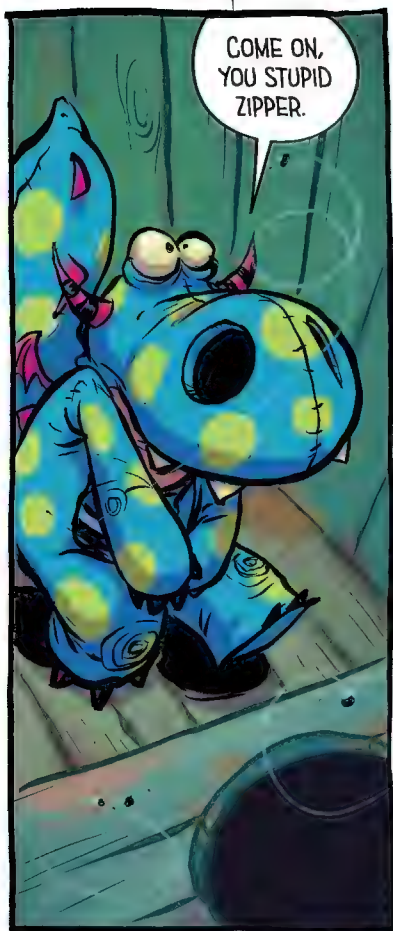


ARE YOU
KIDDING ME? HALLOWEEN
IS THE ONLY NIGHT OF
THE YEAR THE MAGIC MART
HAS **FAIRY-FREEZY**
SUPER DUPER SPECIAL
FLAVORS...

...AND I
PLAN ON
DRINKING THEM
ALL!







..|||||||t!

HOW TO
DRAIN
YOUR
DRAGON



"NOW THAT WE'RE IN THIS OUTHOUSE OF A BAR, HOW ABOUT YOU TELL ME WHY YOU DRAGGED US TO THE **TOILET** OF FAIRYLAND."



THEY SAY THERE'S A SCAVENGER SOMEWHERE AROUND HERE WHO COLLECTS **ODDITIES**, AND ONE OF THEM IS SOME SORT OF WORLD JUMPER.

AND HOW, IF YOU DON'T MIND ME ASKING, WOULD YOU KNOW THAT?

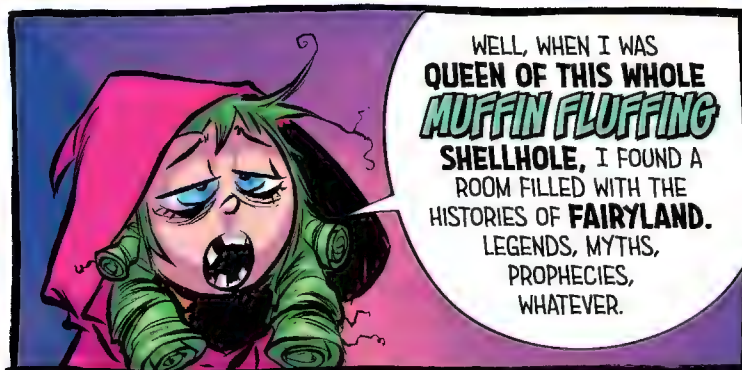


WHAT? YOU THINK YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO KNOWS THINGS? I KNOW **LOTS** OF THINGS.



YOU WOULDN'T **KNOW** HOW OR WHEN YOU HAVE TO TAKE A **PIZZ** IF I WASN'T AROUND TO REMIND YOU.

SO YEAH, I'M CURIOUS HOW YOU'VE GOT A LEAD ON A WAY HOME.



WELL, WHEN I WAS **QUEEN OF THIS WHOLE MUFFIN FLUFFING SHELLHOLE**, I FOUND A ROOM FILLED WITH THE HISTORIES OF **FAIRYLAND**. LEGENDS, MYTHS, PROPHECIES, WHATEVER.



"SINCE CLOUDIA AND
HAPPY RUINED MY
CHANCE FOR GETTING
OUT OF HERE...

"...I HAD A FEW VOLUNTEERS
SEARCH THROUGH EVERY BOOK,
TABLET, AND SCROLL, LOOKING
FOR ANY POSSIBLE WAYS FOR
ME TO GET BACK."



AND NOW I HAVE
THIS **LIST**
OF
ALL THE OPTIONS
THEY COULD
FIND.



THAT LOOKS AN AWFUL LOT LIKE THE
MAP. YOU KNOW, THE LAST LONG,
SCROLLING PIECE OF PAPER THAT WAS
MEANT TO HELP END OUR
RELATIONSHIP.

I THOUGHT
THE SAME THING,
BUT THEY JUST CAME
FROM THE SAME
SUPPLIER.



WELL, THAT'S
CONVENIENT.

MacGUFFIN
PAPER
CO.
PROVIDING YOUR PLOT
DEVICE & QUALITY SURFACÉ
SINCE ONCE UPON A TIME





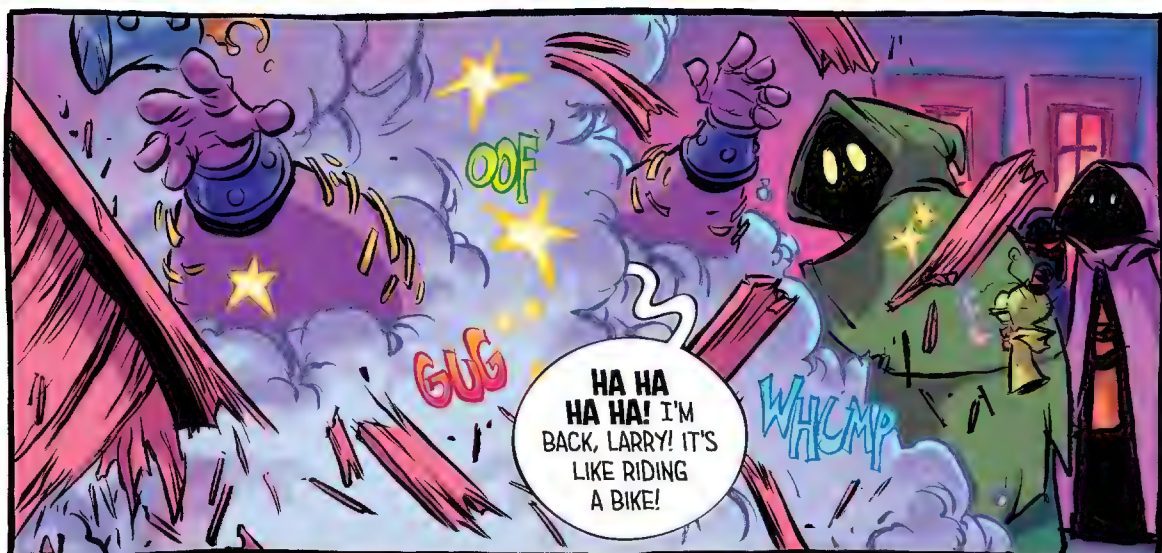
SO THE ONLY
THING I'LL HELP YOU
FIND IS THE **HOLE**
YOUR **BODY'S** GOING
TO BE DROPPED
IN.

LARRY, YOU
ADVISED AGAINST IT,
BUT I THINK I'D LIKE
TO RECONSIDER THE
TOPIC OF THE AX AND
INSERTING IT INTO MY
FRIEND HERE...

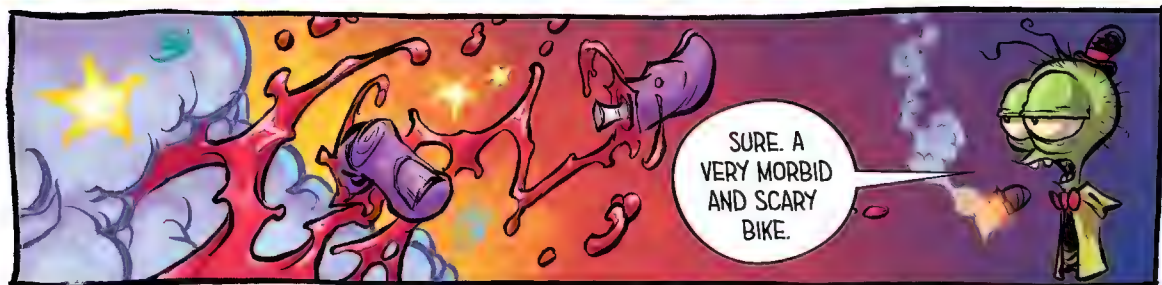
...FOR
HE HAS
REJECTED MY
NEW LEAF



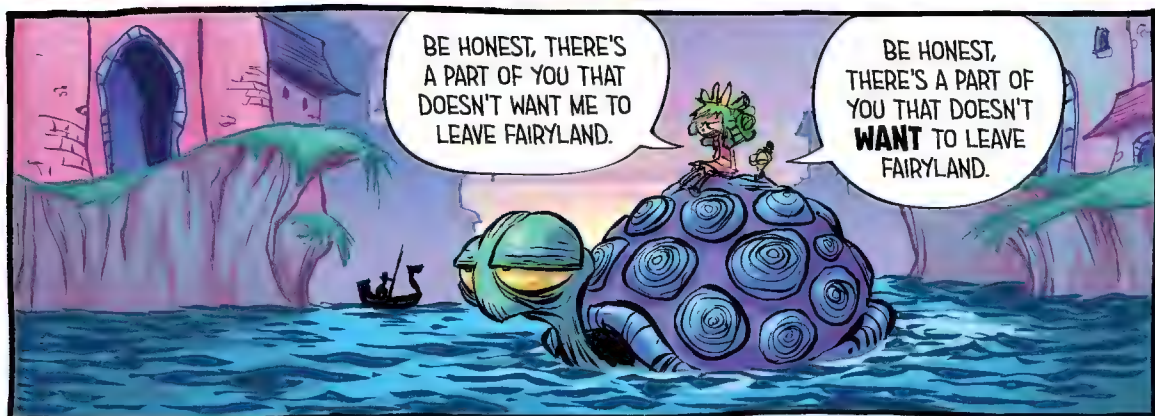
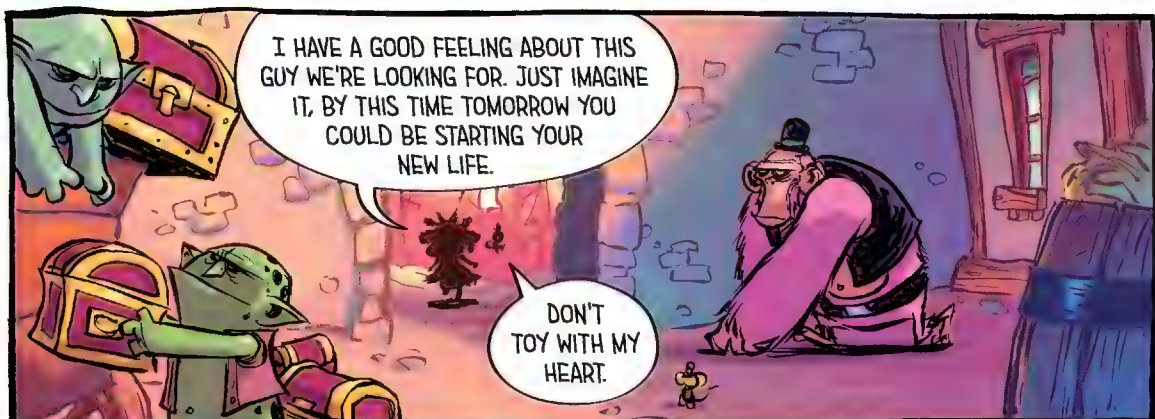
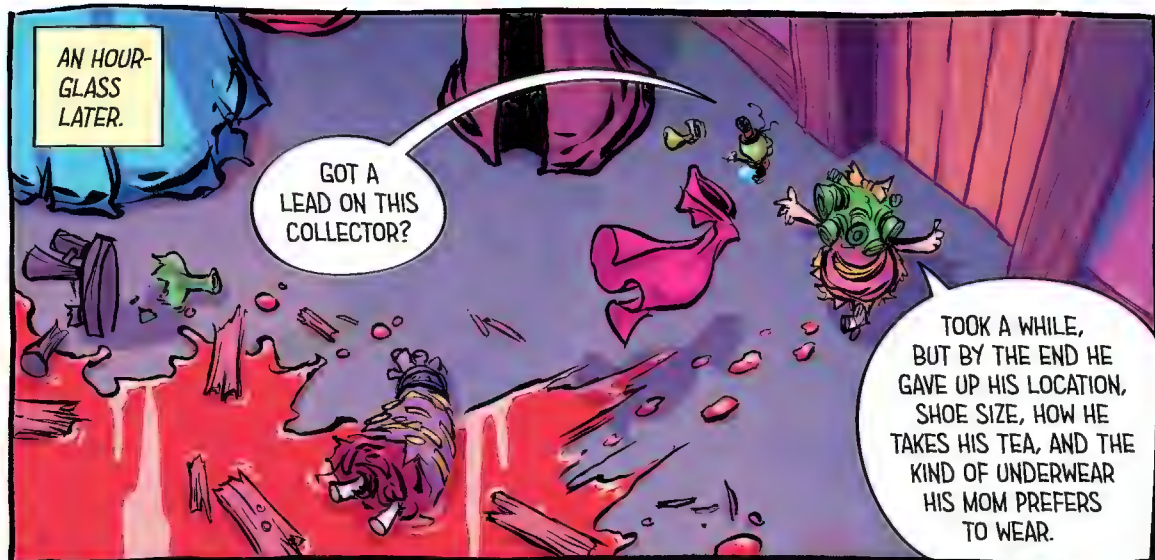
I'M PROUD
OF YOU FOR
TRYING.

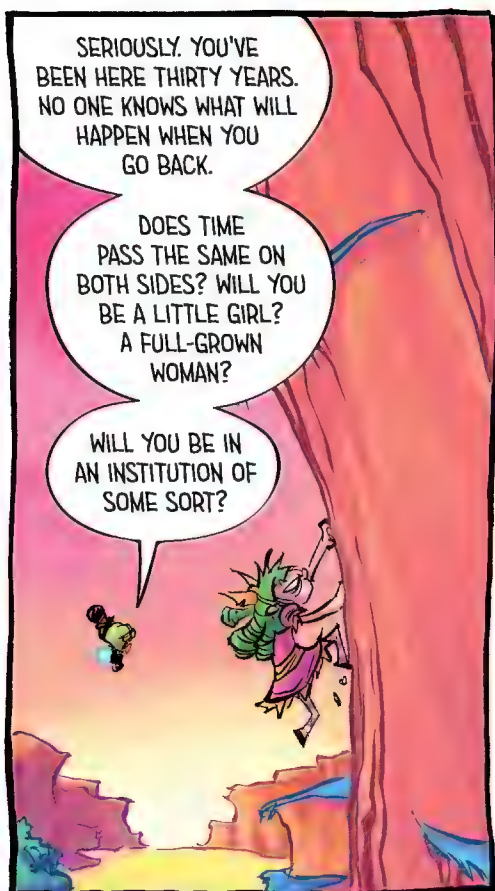


HA HA
HA HA! I'M
BACK, LARRY! IT'S
LIKE RIDING
A BIKE!



SURE. A
VERY MORBID
AND SCARY
BIKE.








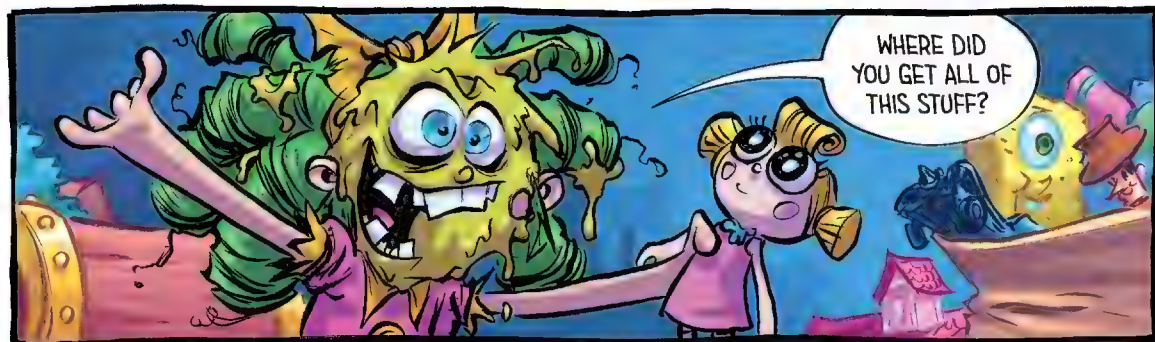
IT'S LIKE
FRANKENSTEIN
FLUFFED A HOUSE
AND THAT'S
THE LOVE CHILD.

OH MY!
I CAN'T BELIEVE
MY EYES.



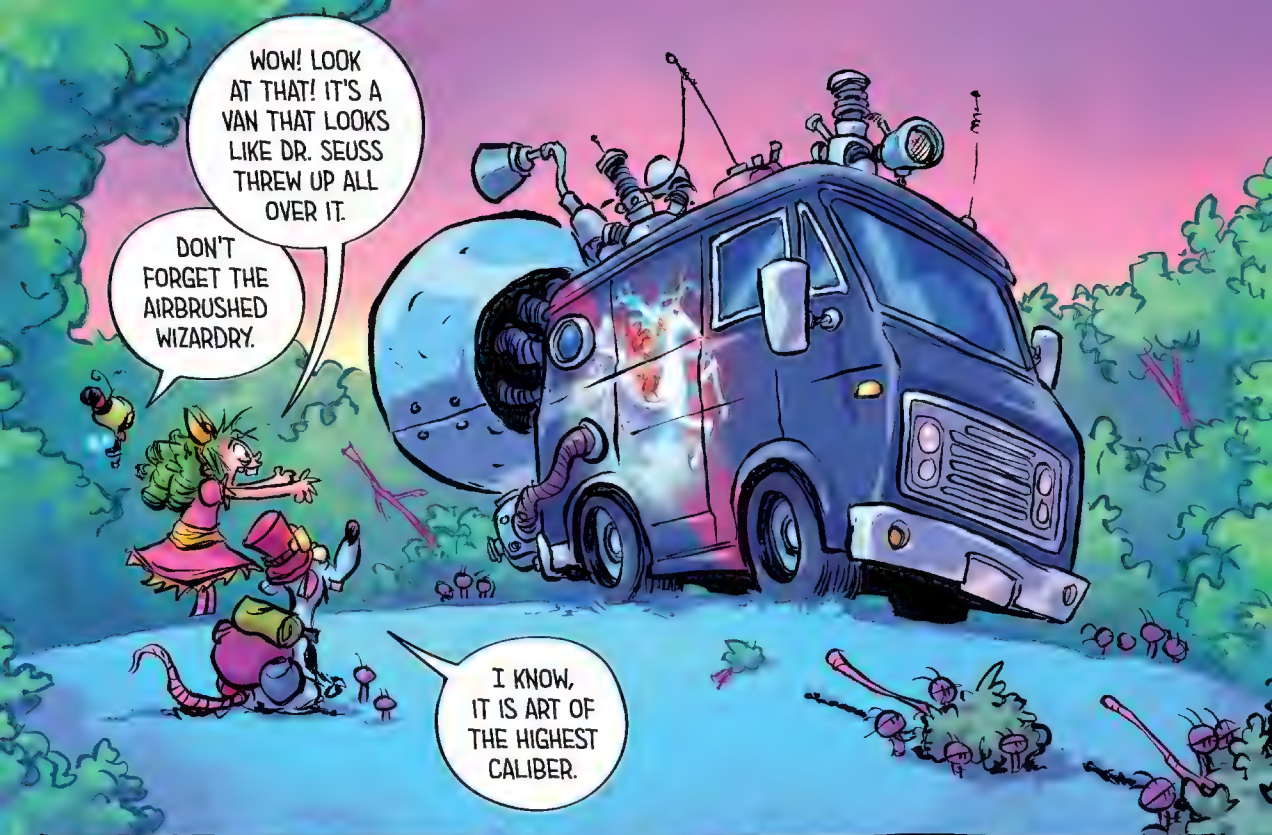
IT'S YOU, IT'S
REALLY YOU, GERTRUDE!
I NEVER THOUGHT THIS
DAY WOULD COME.

PLEASE,
COME IN.





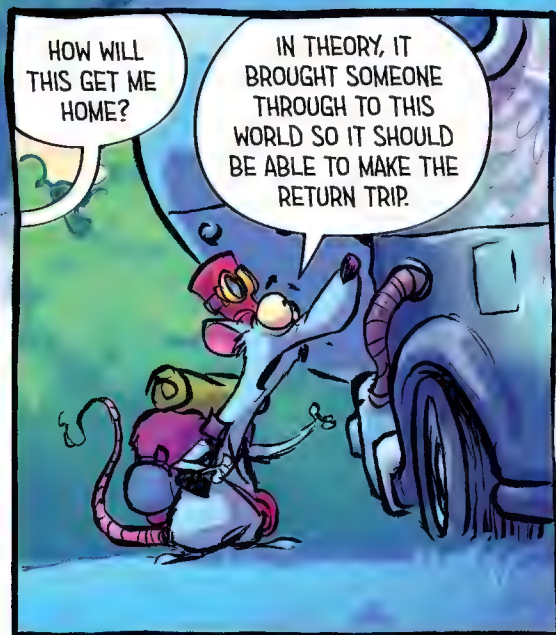




WOW! LOOK
AT THAT! IT'S A
VAN THAT LOOKS
LIKE DR. SEUSS
THREW UP ALL
OVER IT.

DON'T
FORGET THE
AIRBRUSHED
WIZARDRY.

I KNOW,
IT IS ART OF
THE HIGHEST
CALIBER.



HOW WILL
THIS GET ME
HOME?

IN THEORY, IT
BROUGHT SOMEONE
THROUGH TO THIS
WORLD SO IT SHOULD
BE ABLE TO MAKE THE
RETURN TRIP.



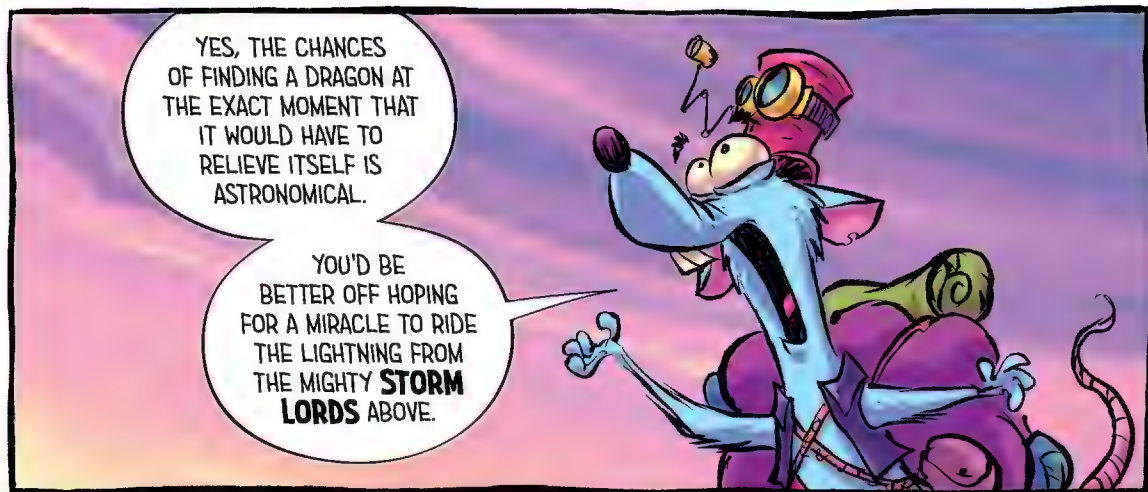
WE JUST HAVE THE
TINY PROBLEM OF
FUEL.

THE CLOSEST
THING WE HAVE TO THE
PETROL OF YOUR WORLD
TO MAKE THIS RUN
WOULD BE **DRAGON
WATER.**

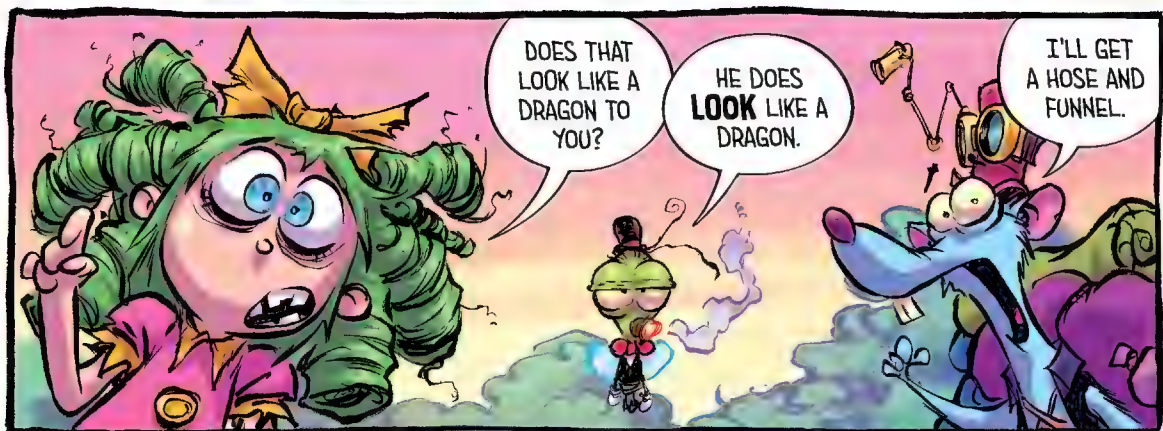
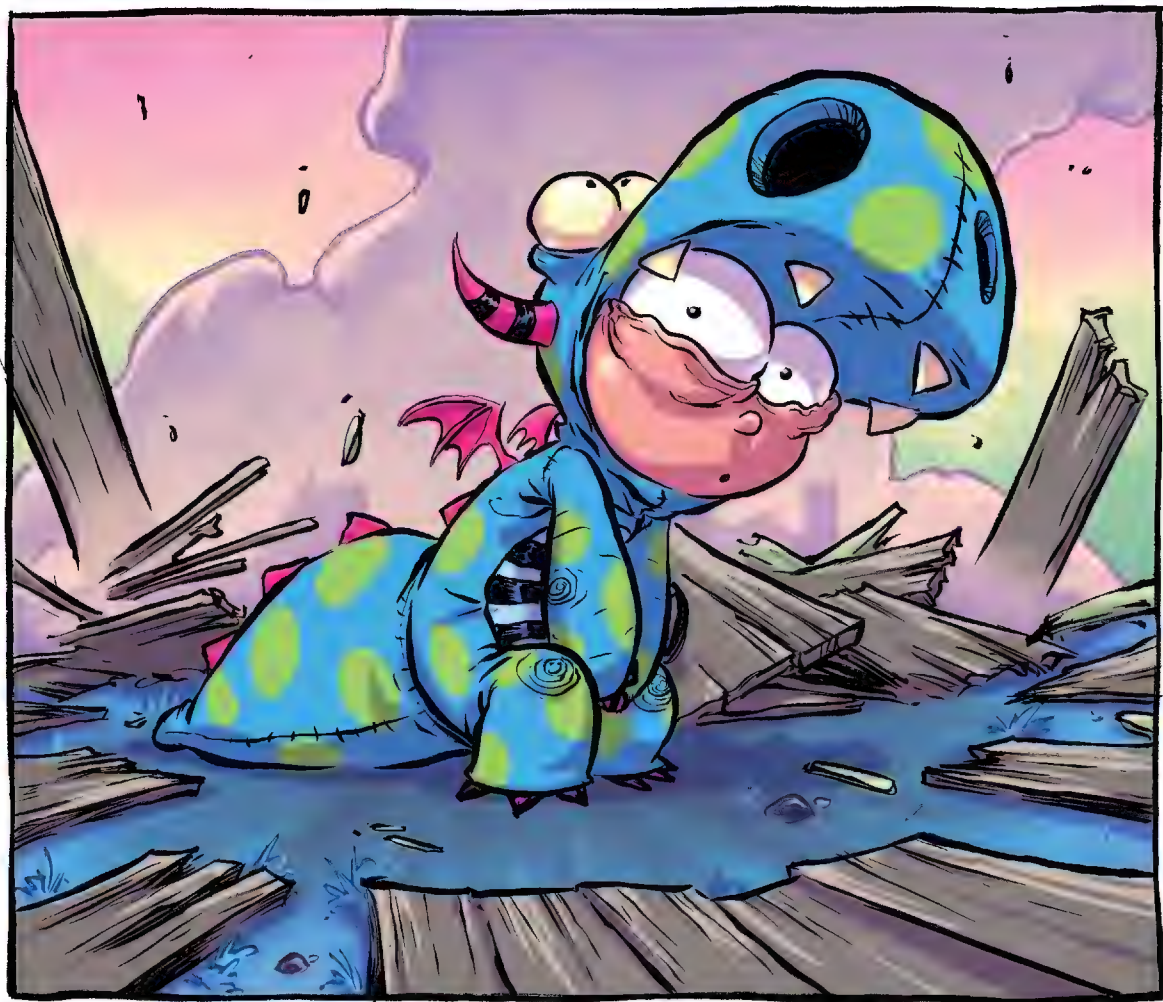


WHAT'S THAT
MEAN? LIKE, WATER
FROM A DRAGON'S
LAKE OR
SOMETHING?

NOPE.
HE MEANS
DRAGON
WHIZ.





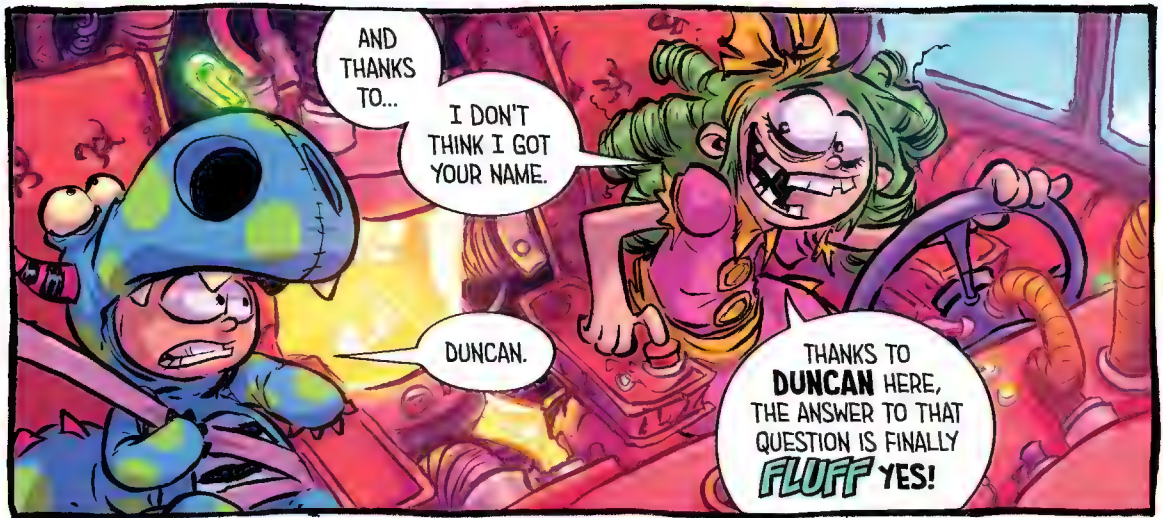








I'VE BEEN ASKING THAT SAME QUESTION FOR THE LAST THIRTY YEARS, KID.

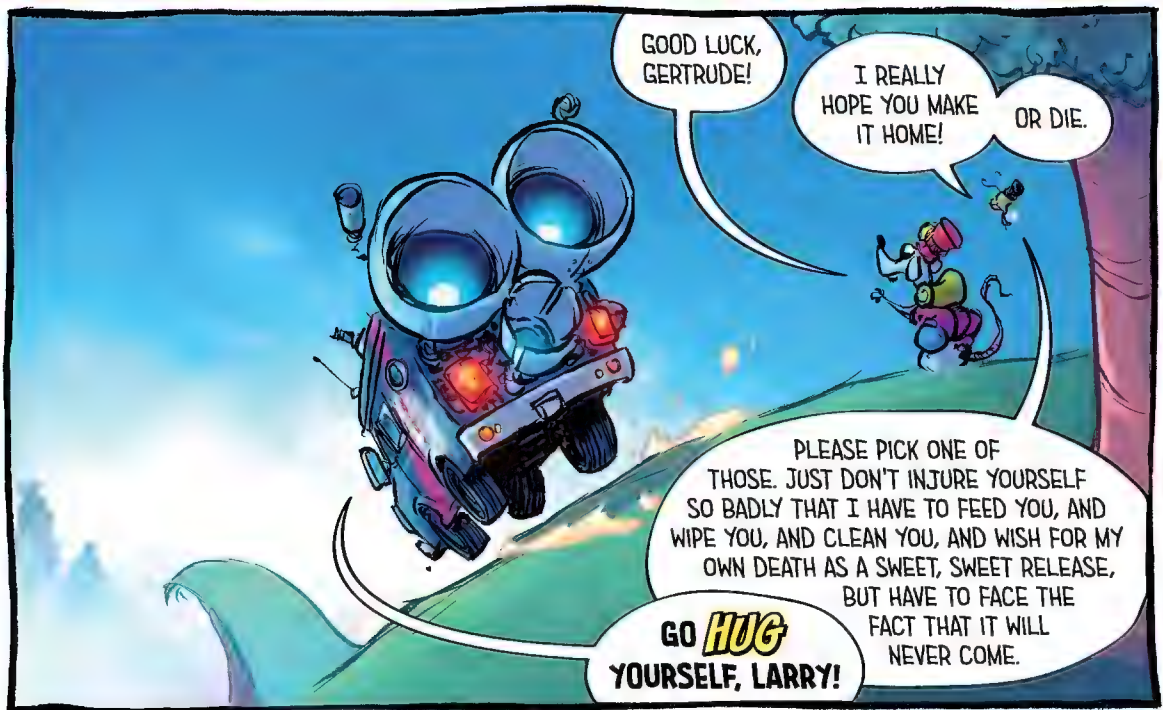


AND THANKS TO...

I DON'T THINK I GOT YOUR NAME.

DUNCAN.

THANKS TO **DUNCAN** HERE, THE ANSWER TO THAT QUESTION IS FINALLY **FLUFF** YES!

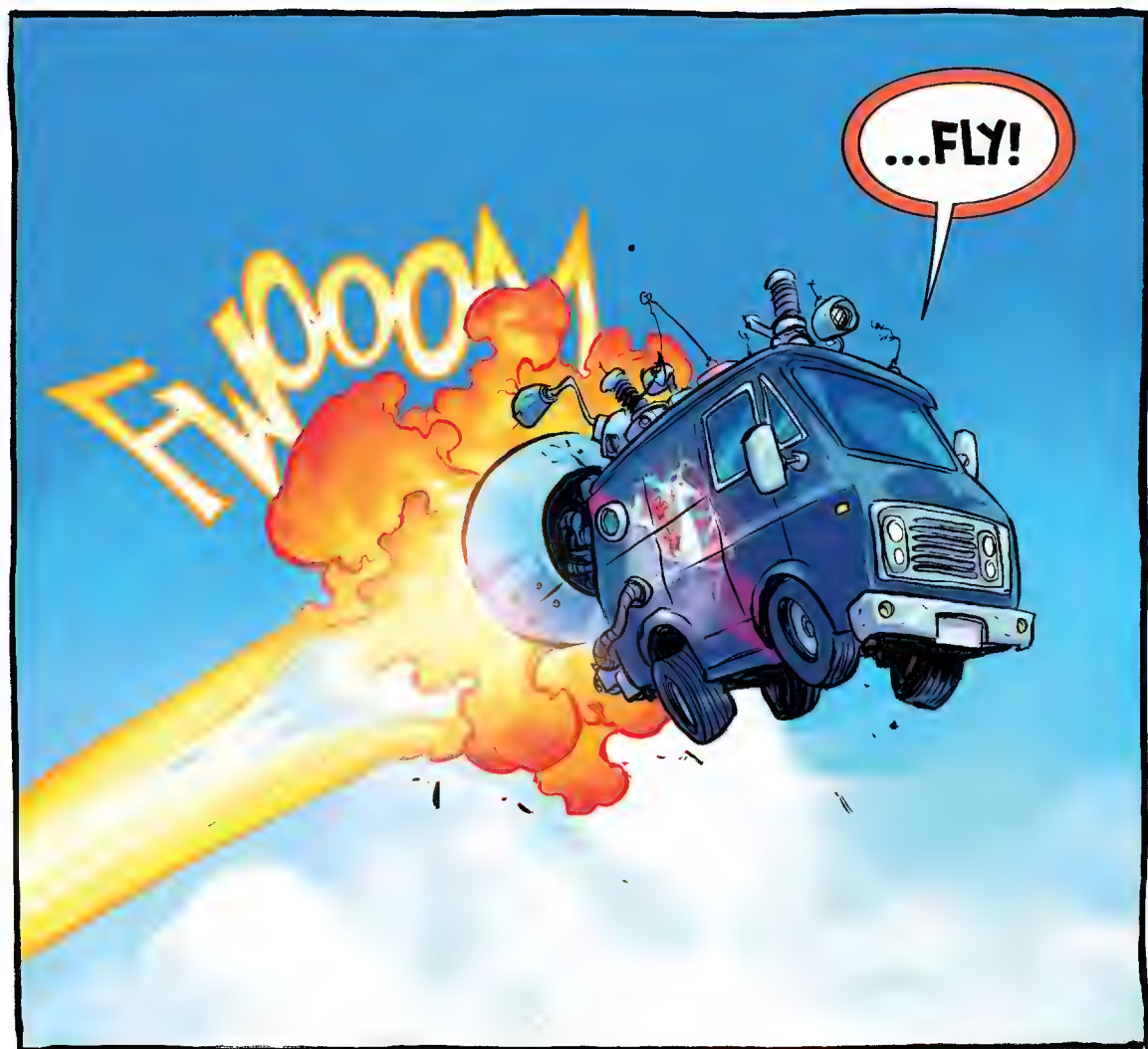
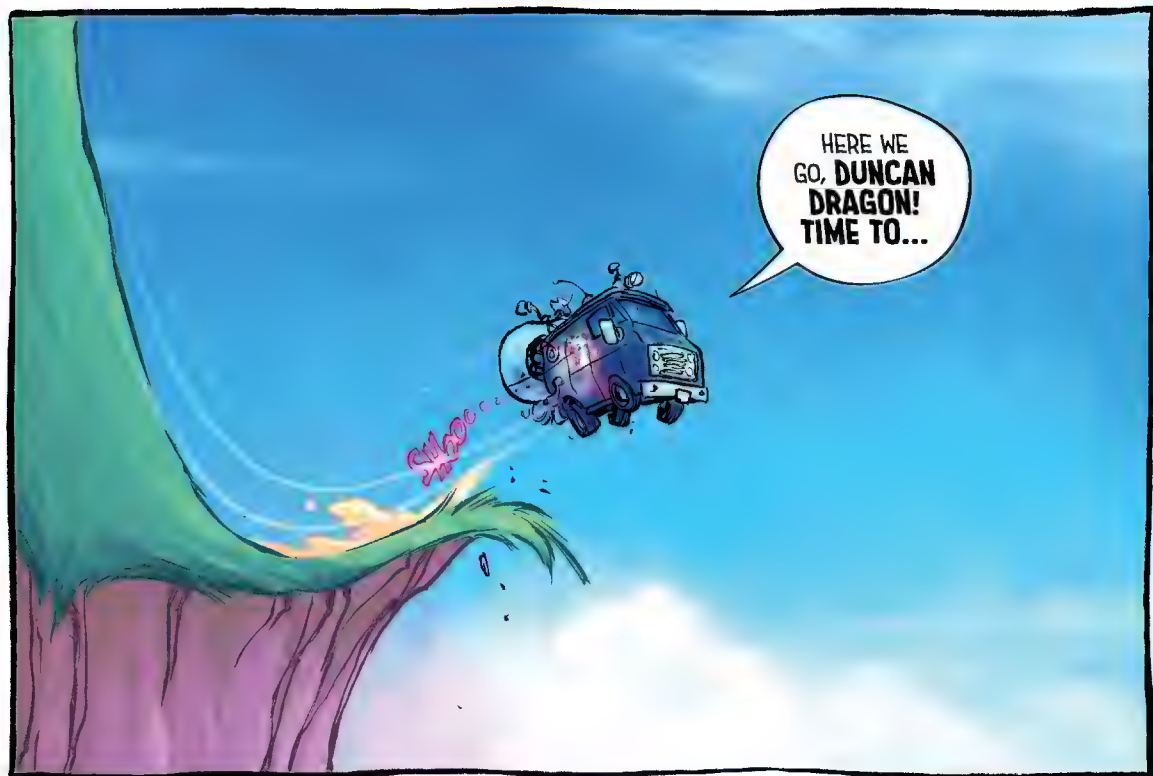


GOOD LUCK, GERTRUDE!

I REALLY HOPE YOU MAKE IT HOME!

OR DIE.

PLEASE PICK ONE OF THOSE. JUST DON'T INJURE YOURSELF SO BADLY THAT I HAVE TO FEED YOU, AND WIPE YOU, AND CLEAN YOU, AND WISH FOR MY OWN DEATH AS A SWEET, SWEET RELEASE, BUT HAVE TO FACE THE FACT THAT IT WILL NEVER COME. GO **HUG** YOURSELF, LARRY!







EIGHT





HMMM. DOOM
LIES WHERE THE TIME
HAS NOT YET WANDERED
NOR WILL HAVE THE
CHANCE TO.

WHAT
DOES THAT
MEAN?



THE CANDIES
ARE CRYING, BUT
THEY ARE NEVER
LYING.



CHOICE KNOWS YOU WELL
AND WILL MAKE YOU THE
GREATEST MONSTER FAIRYLAND
HAS EVER SEEN IF YOU PICK
POORLY UPON MEETING
HER.

YEAH,
YEAH...



...ENOUGH ABOUT THIS
SMOTHER FUDGER!
I WANT TO HEAR ABOUT
WHAT **MY** FUTURE
HOLDS.

HE DOESN'T
HAVE TO READ
THE CANDIES TO
KNOW YOUR
FUTURE.



SPOILER:
YOU WILL BE
WEARING **NO**
SHADES, BECAUSE
IT ISN'T SO
BRIGHT.

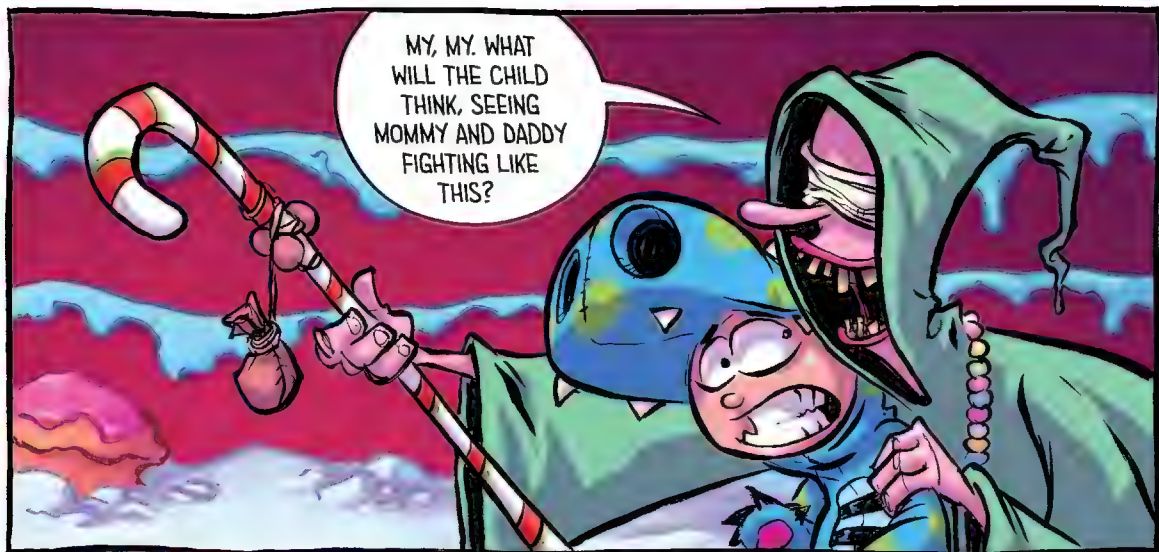


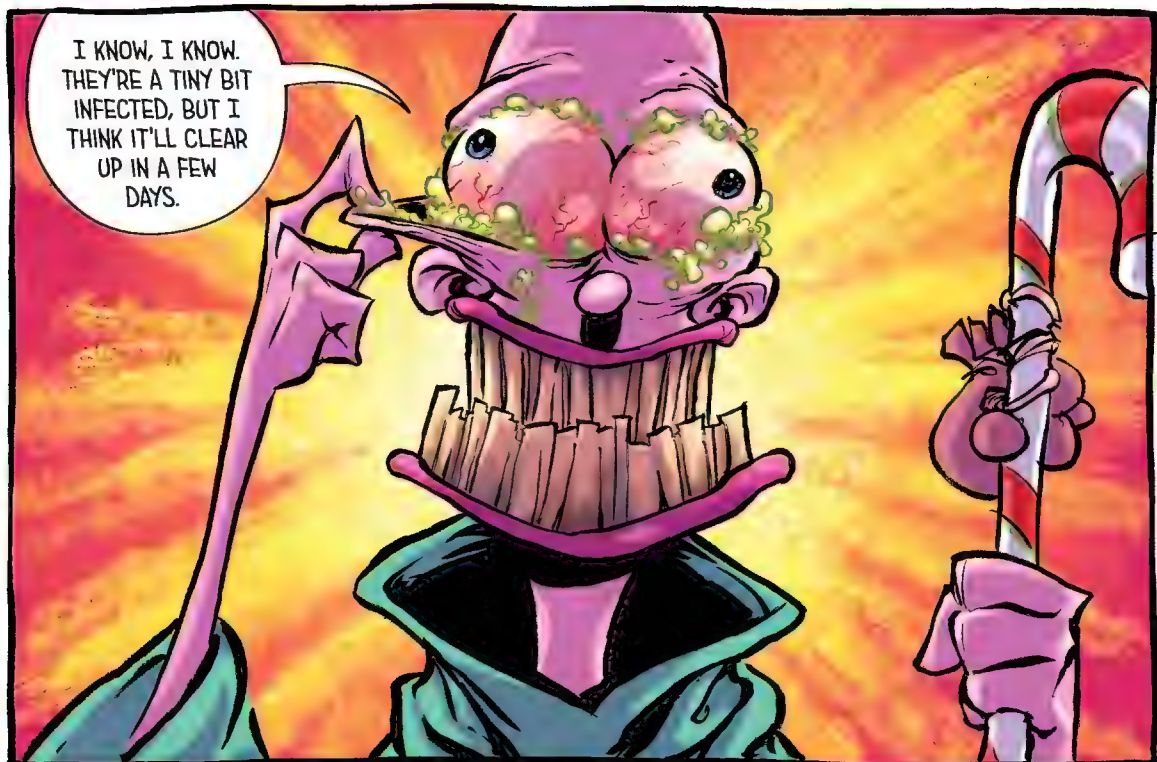
I WOULD **LOVE**
TO KILL-PUNCH THAT
SACK YOU CALL A
HEAD, BUT I'M AFRAID
YOU WOULD THINK
CHRISTMAS CAME
EARLY.

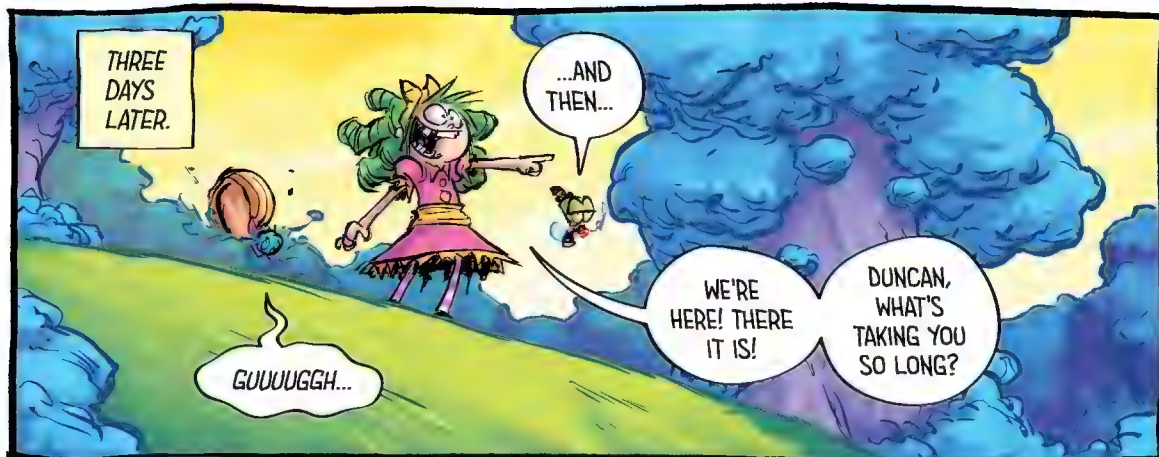
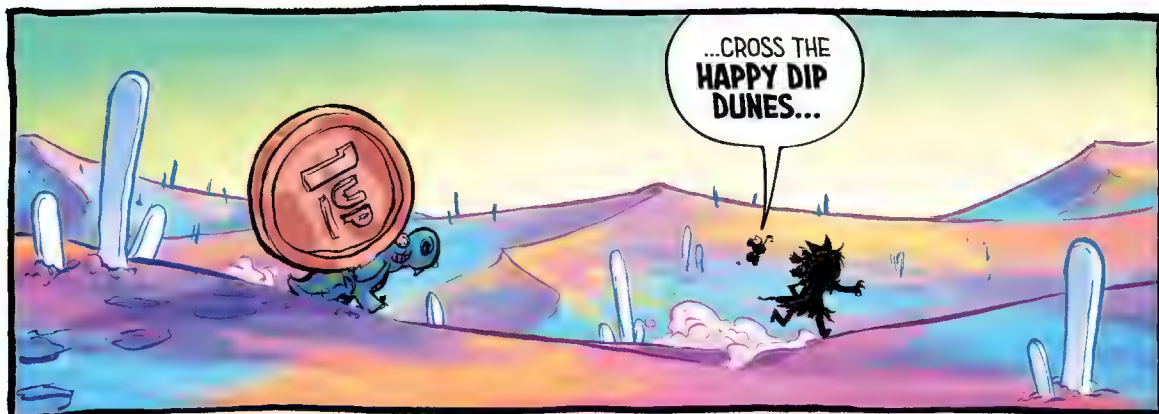
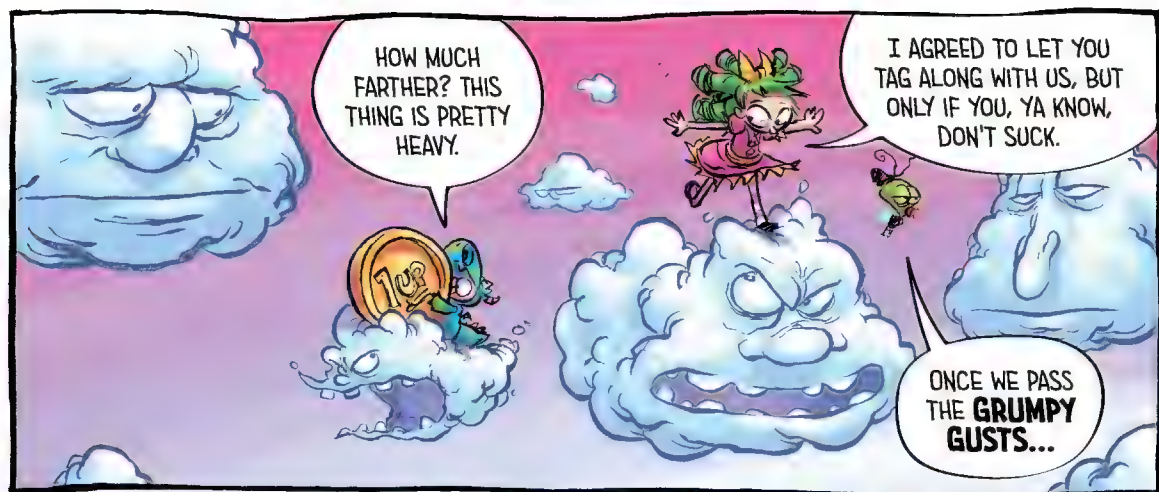


I HAVE BEEN ASKING
SANTA TO PUT ME OUT
OF MY MISERY FOR A
LONG WHILE.

STUPID
JOLLY
PACIFIST.

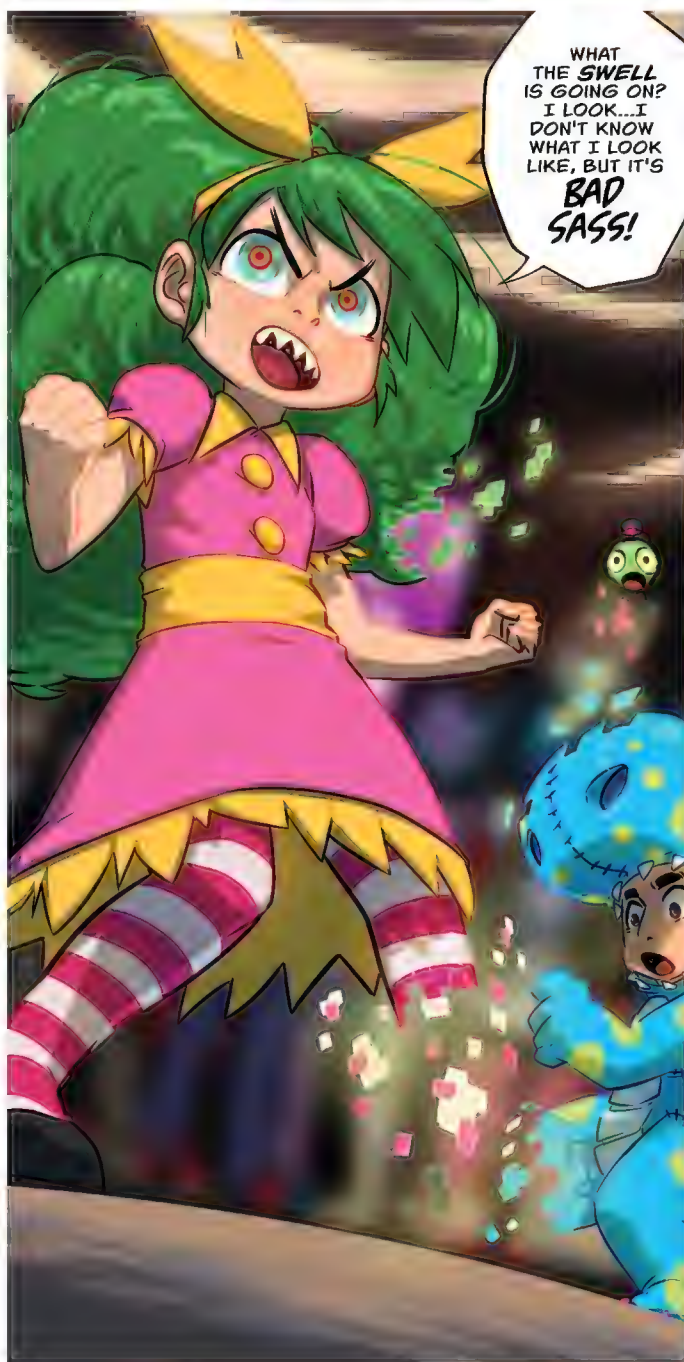
















GLAM
BAM!

MY MOST
FABULOUS
FIGHTER.

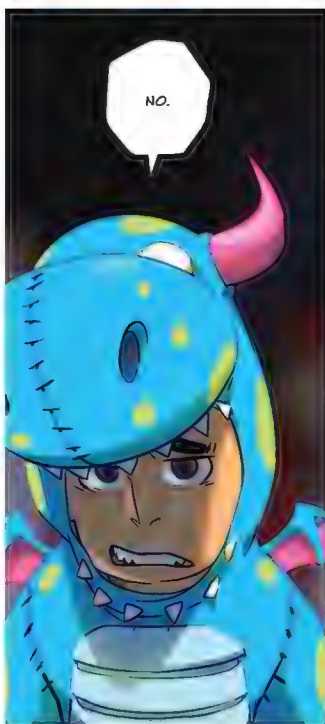


ALL I HAVE
TO DO IS
BEAT SPANDEX
MCTEASEYHAIR
AND WHATEVER
OTHER MEATHEADS
YOU THROW AT ME,
THEN YOU'LL GIVE
US **THE CODE**
TO GET
HOME?



IF YOU
SURVIVE,
THEN YES.
I GIVE
YOU **THE
CODE**.

BUT IF I
WIN, I WANT
SOMETHING
FROM YOU.

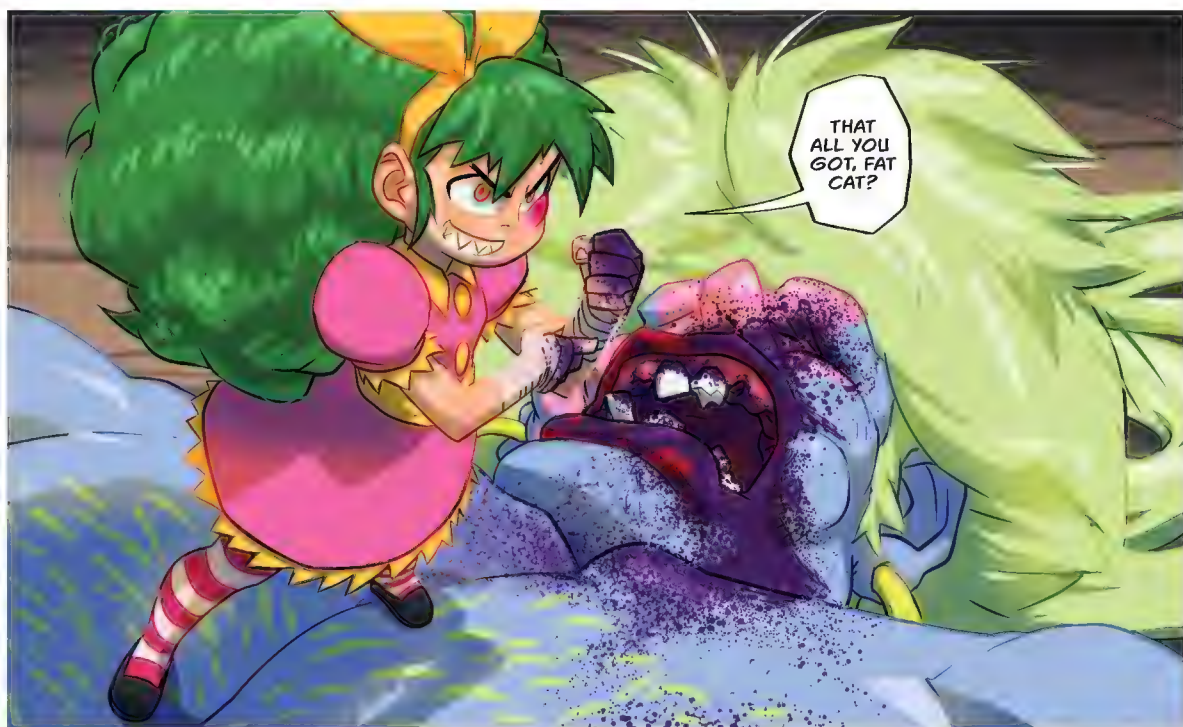




15
HITS

35
HITS

47
HITS





17
HITS

ICE-COLD
COMBO!

45
HITS

275
HITS

18
HITS

CUTTING
COMBO

66
HITS

FACE
BREAK!

RICKED
THE ROCK!

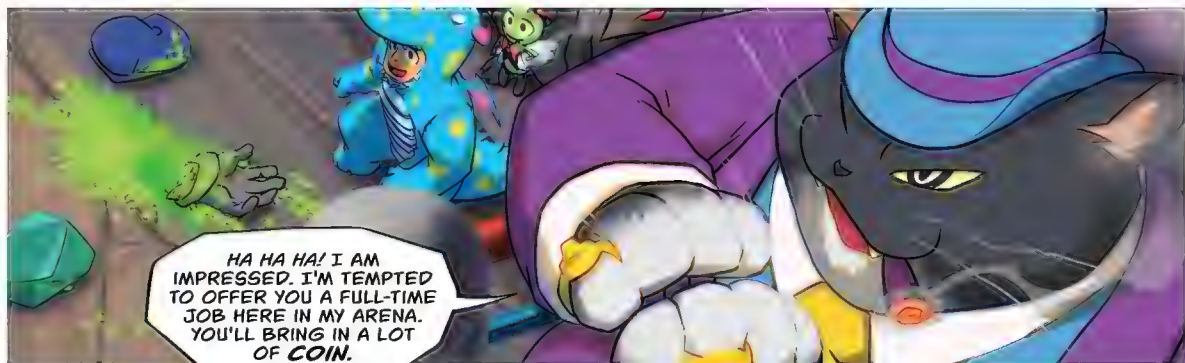
K.O.
COMBO!

10,000
HITS

18
HITS

GUT
BOMB!

FACE
FATALITY!



HA HA HA! I AM IMPRESSED. I'M TEMPTED TO OFFER YOU A FULL-TIME JOB HERE IN MY ARENA. YOU'LL BRING IN A LOT OF COIN.



THANKS, BUT I BEAT ALL YOUR LACKIES. I'LL TAKE MY PRIZE AND BE ON MY WAY.



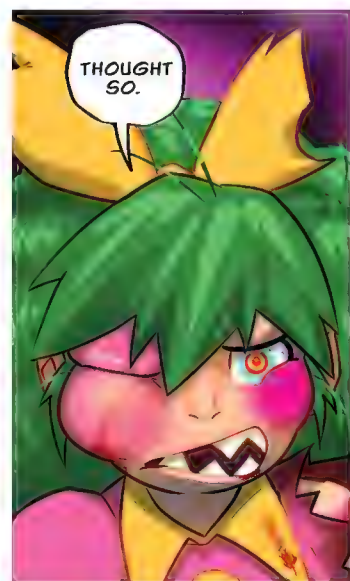
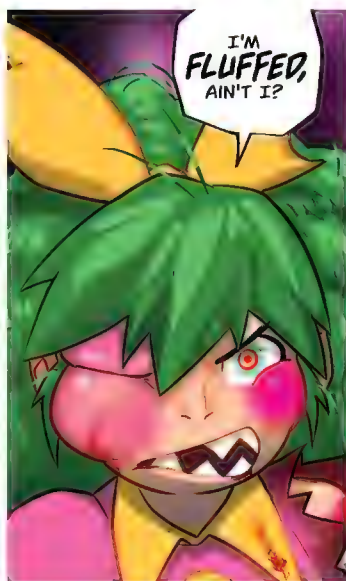
GERTRUDE, YOU DISAPPOINT ME. BESIDES, YOU BEAT **ALMOST** EVERYONE.

NOW, IT'S TIME TO FACE **THE BOSS.**



LADIES, GENTLEMEN, AND GREEN-HAIRED MISCREANTS, ALLOW ME TO INTRODUCE THE APPLE OF MANY AN EYE, THE BELLE OF EVERY BALL, AND THE UNDEFEATED CHAMPION OF THE TOWER OF BATTLE...





2,000,000,000
HITS



ROYAL RAMPAGE!

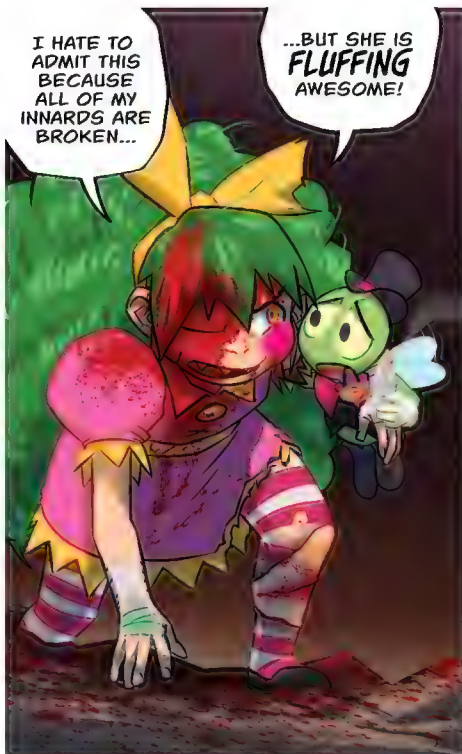
HARDCORE
HIGH HEEL
COMBO!

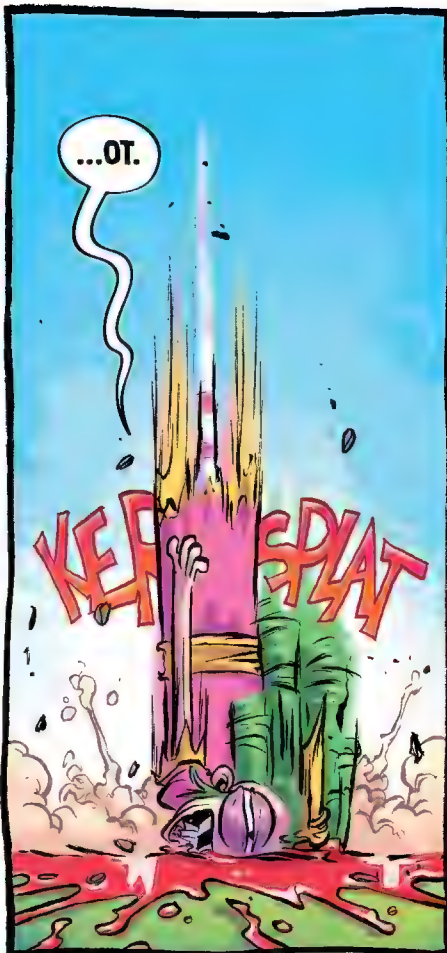
PURITY
PUNCH!

RESPECT
THE CROWN
COMBO!

FANCY
FATALITY!

PURTY PRETTY PRINCESS WINS!



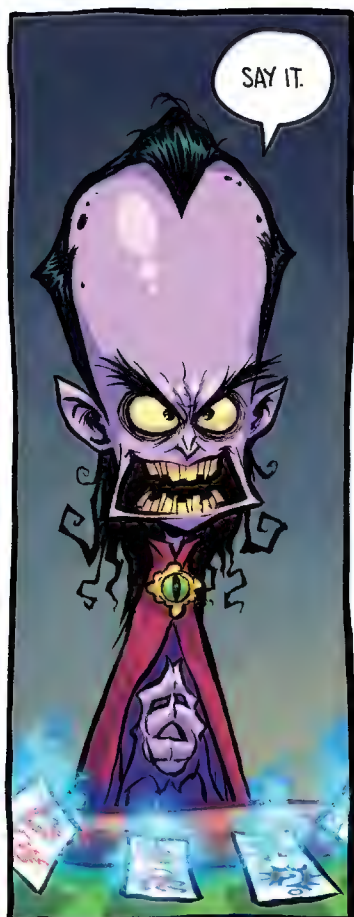
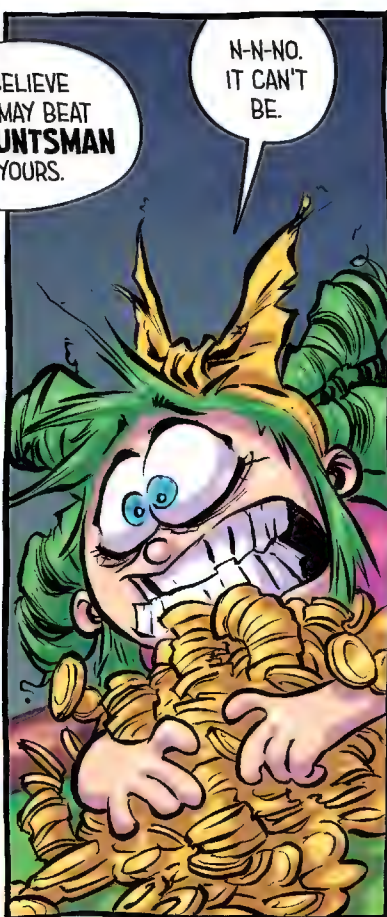


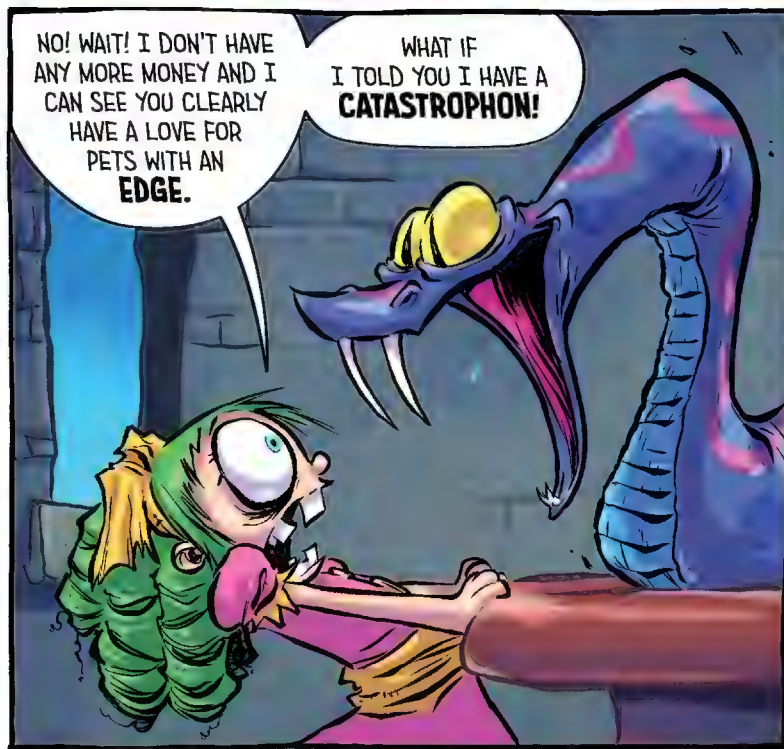


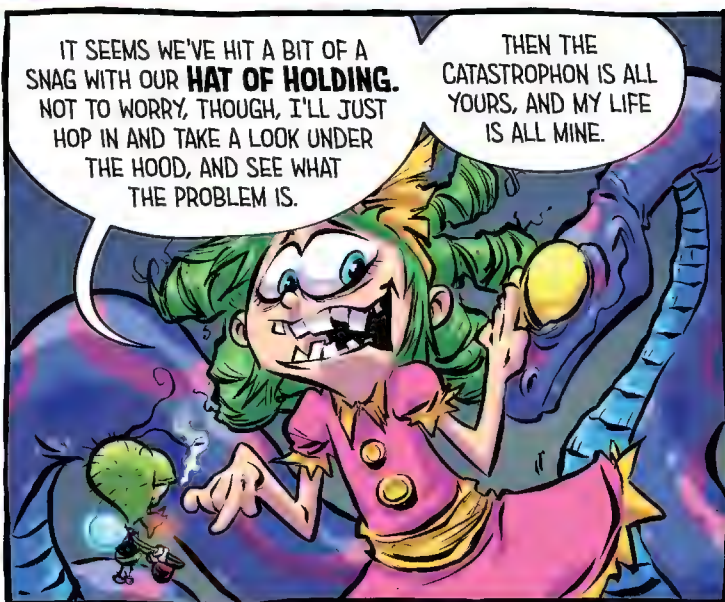
NINE















WE REALLY
NEED TO INSTALL
SOME STEPS OR
A LADDER...



...OR
SOMETHING.

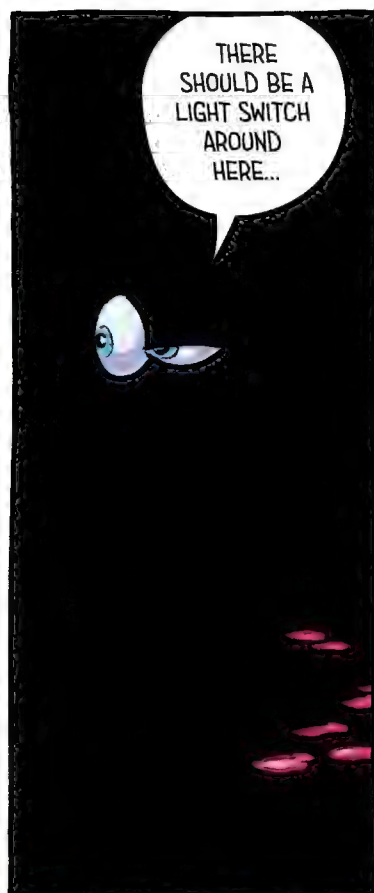




WHY IS
IT SO DARK
IN HERE?



THERE
SHOULD BE A
LIGHT SWITCH
AROUND
HERE...



...SOMEWHERE!

KLANG



STUPID **HUGGING**
MAGICAL HAT, YOU THINK
WE'D HAVE SOMETHING AT
LEAST AS ADVANCED
AS **THE CLAPPER**
INSTALLED!

BUT
NOOOOOO...



...OOOOOO--
FLUFF?





WELL, THIS
DOESN'T BODE
WELL.









GERT DOESN'T SEEM TO BE COMING BACK ANY TIME SOON, SO YOU HAVE A VERY IMPORTANT CHOICE TO MAKE.



YOU'RE RIGHT. IT'S JUST THAT... I DON'T KNOW HOW TO DECIDE BETWEEN THE TWO. THEY'RE BOTH VERY IMPORTANT TO ME.



QUIT BEING SO DRAMATIC. IT'S PIZZA!

SO FOR THE LAST TIME, DO YOU WANT GORGON HORN AND PINEAPPLE, OR CANDIED TENTACLES AND HABANERO BLOOGLE EYES?

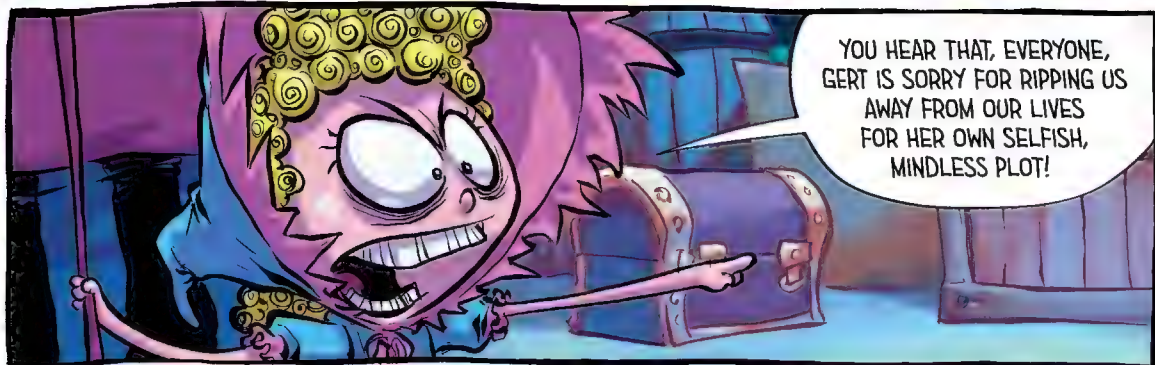


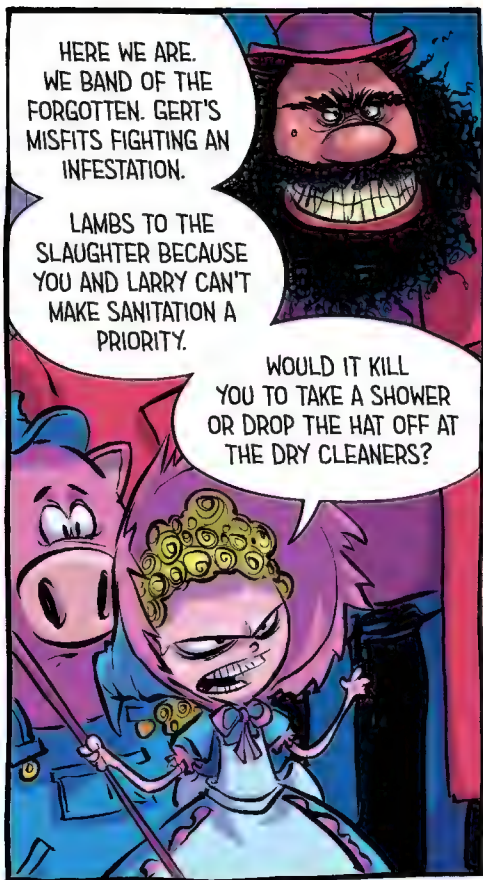
FLUFF IT. CARBS, SCHMARBS. I'LL TAKE ONE OF EACH.



WHAT DO YOU THINK IS TAKING HER SO LONG?

WHO KNOWS. WE GOT LOTS OF OLD STUFF IN THERE. SHE'S PROBABLY JUST TAKING A STROLL DOWN MEMORY LANE.

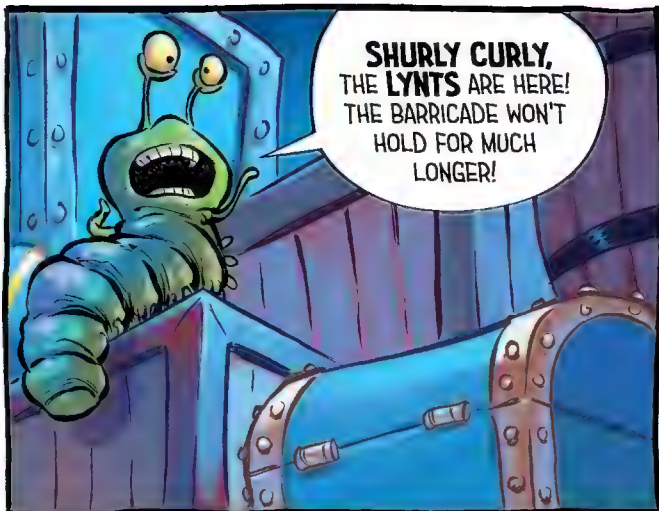




HERE WE ARE.
WE BAND OF THE
FORGOTTEN. GERT'S
MISFITS FIGHTING AN
INFESTATION.

LAMBS TO THE
SLAUGHTER BECAUSE
YOU AND LARRY CAN'T
MAKE SANITATION A
PRIORITY.

WOULD IT KILL
YOU TO TAKE A SHOWER
OR DROP THE HAT OFF AT
THE DRY CLEANERS?



SHURLY CURLY,
THE **LYNTS** ARE HERE!
THE BARRICADE WON'T
HOLD FOR MUCH
LONGER!



GOOD! I'M TIRED
OF HIDING. IF TODAY'S
OUR DAY TO DIE, LET'S
TAKE AS MANY OF THESE
MUFFIN HUGGERS
WITH US ON THE
WAY OUT!



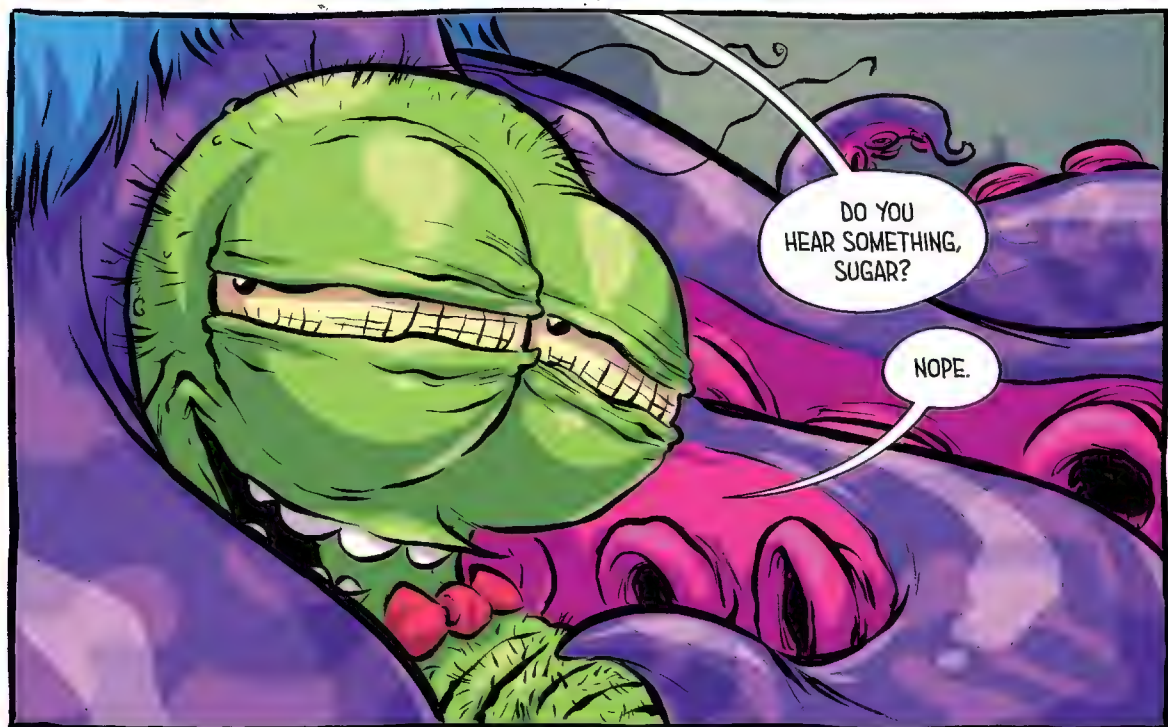
FROM WHAT I REMEMBER, YOU'RE NOT TOO
SHABBY WITH ONE OF THESE. IT'S THE LEAST
YOU CAN DO FOR IMPRISONING US ALL
FOR NO REASON.

HELP US, AND IF
WE MAKE IT THROUGH,
I'LL GET YOU YOUR
CATASTROPHON.

DEAL!



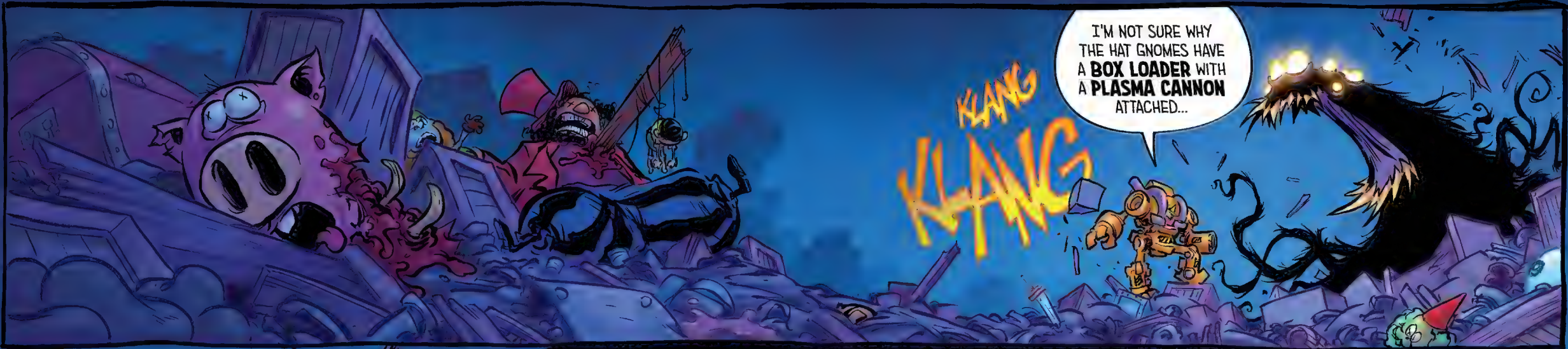






LARRY,
HELP! HELP ME!
HELLLLP!

I
DON'T HEAR
A THING.



I'M NOT SURE WHY
THE HAT GNOMES HAVE
A **BOX LOADER** WITH
A **PLASMA CANNON**
ATTACHED...

KLANG
KLANG



...BUT I'M
SURE AS **STEEL**
GOING TO PUT IT
TO GOOD USE.

EAT
THIS,
QUEEN
BI--

SHOOOM





AWWW, YOU CUTE,
LITTLE CATASTROPHON.
YOU DIDN'T MAKE IT IN TIME
TO SAVE THE REST OF THE
POOR SAPS I ACCIDENTALLY
FORGOT THAT I KIDNAPPED
THROUGH THE YEARS,

BUT YOU
DID SAVE ME, AND
THAT'S REALLY THE
MOST IMPORTANT
THING.



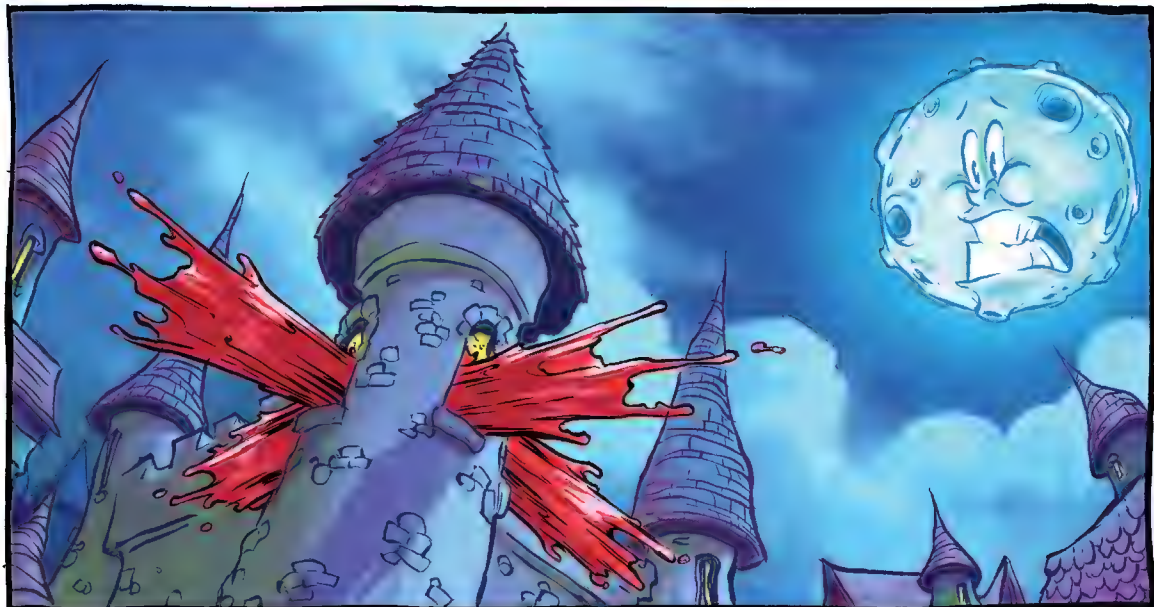
I DIDN'T
REALIZE YOU HAD
SUCH A **BIG**
APPETITE.

HOPEFULLY
YOU SAVED ROOM
FOR DESSERT. HOW
DO YOU LIKE DARK
WIZARDS?



MEOW.





LYNTS,
HUH? I GUESS
I SHOULDN'T
SKIP THE ANNUAL
DISINFECTING
ANYMORE.

PROBABLY
NOT.

HEY,
IS THAT A
HICKEY ON
YOUR
NECK?



WHAT?
WHERE? UM...NO.
THAT'S, UH...THEY
WERE SUPER ROUGH
ON ME WHILE YOU
WERE INSIDE.

TIED ME UP,
BEAT ME, CHOKED
ME...ALL TYPES OF
DARK STUFF.

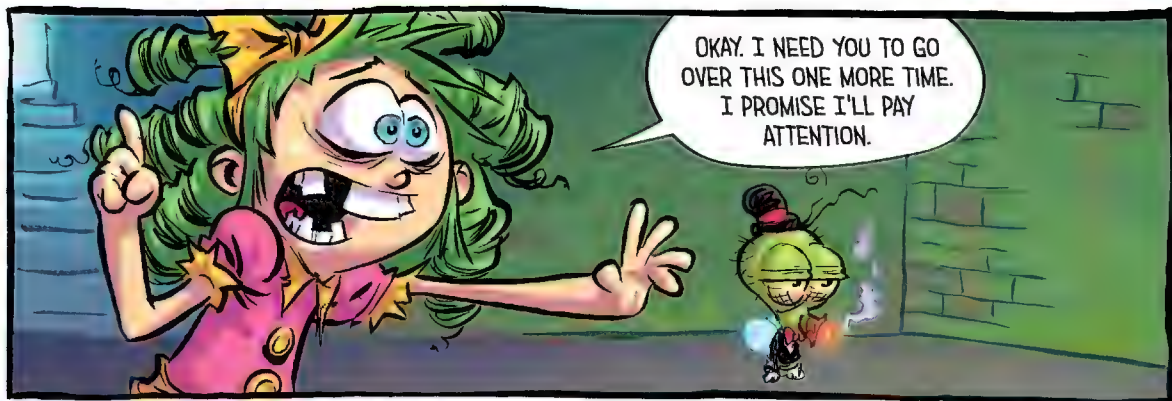
TORTURE,
HUH? DO DARK
WIZARDS OFTEN USE
LAVENDER VANILLA
MASSAGE OIL WHILE
TORTURING THEIR
"VICTIMS"?

LIKE I
SAID, THEY'RE
TWISTED.



TEN



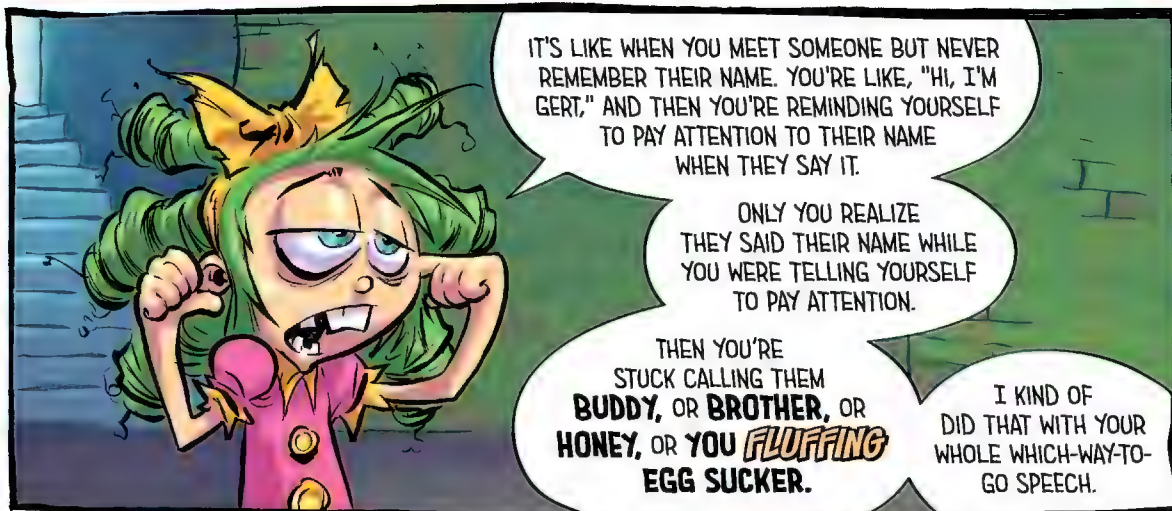


OKAY. I NEED YOU TO GO
OVER THIS ONE MORE TIME.
I PROMISE I'LL PAY
ATTENTION.



SERIOUSLY?

YEAH,
SORRY. I KNOW
YOU SAID SOMETHING
ABOUT THIS WAY BEING
A THING AND THAT WAY
BEING A THING TOO, BUT
MAYBE NOT QUITE THE
SAME THING.

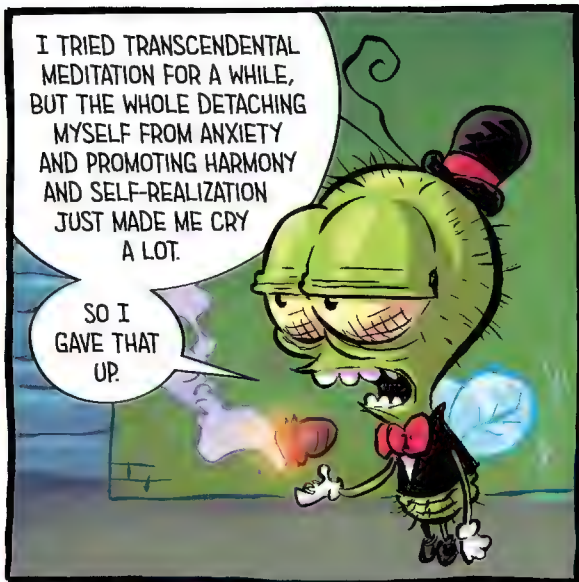


IT'S LIKE WHEN YOU MEET SOMEONE BUT NEVER
REMEMBER THEIR NAME. YOU'RE LIKE, "HI, I'M
GERT," AND THEN YOU'RE REMINDING YOURSELF
TO PAY ATTENTION TO THEIR NAME
WHEN THEY SAY IT.

ONLY YOU REALIZE
THEY SAID THEIR NAME WHILE
YOU WERE TELLING YOURSELF
TO PAY ATTENTION.

THEN YOU'RE
STUCK CALLING THEM
**BUDDY, OR BROTHER, OR
HONEY, OR YOU FLUFFING
EGG SUCKER.**

I KIND OF
DID THAT WITH YOUR
WHOLE WHICH-WAY-TO-
GO SPEECH.





IT'S REALLY SIMPLE. IF YOU MAKE THE RIGHT CHOICE, YOU WILL FIND THAT ALL OF YOUR DREAMS WILL COME TRUE AT THE END OF THE CORRIDOR.



YOU HEAR THAT, LARRY? ONE OF THESE HALLWAYS LEADS **HOME**. AFTER ALL THESE ISSUES... I MEAN, **YEARS** OF SPINNING OUR WHEELS...WE'RE SO **CLOSE**.



BWAAAAHAAAAHAA!



BEHIND EVERY **RIGHT**, THERE LIES THE **WRONG**. CHOOSE POORLY, AND THE PATH YOU SEEK WILL BE BATHED IN **DARKNESS**.



THAT DOESN'T SOUND ALL THAT BAD. WE HAVE PLENTY OF LANTERNS.

HOW DARK OF A BATH ARE WE TALKING?



STUPID GIRL! ALL THE FLAMES IN **FAIRYLAND** WOULD NOT BRING YOU BACK INTO THE LIGHT.

IN FACT...

"...THE FLAMES WILL
ONLY HELP DRIVE
THE LIGHT OUT..."





THIS IS
WORSE THAN I
IMAGINED.

I'M WITH
LARRY. I IMAGINED
SOME REALLY BAD THINGS,
THEN IT STARTED AND
IT'S DEFINITELY
WORSE.

YOU SAID
IT, HORRIBELLA.
IT'S SUPER WAY
WORSE.

LIKE, MY
MIND SAW REALLY
TERRIBLE THINGS,
AND THEN
BAM!

REALITY.
WORSE.



YOU ALL
READ MY
MIND.

DEFINITELY
WORSE THAN--

OKAY!
I GET IT!

LOOK, I KNOW—I REALLY **NOODLED**
THE CABOODLE ALL THOSE YEARS AGO
WITH THE HALLWAY, AND THE CHOICE, AND
THE NOT-REALY-LISTENING THING.

EVERY TIME
SOMETHING HAS GONE WRONG FOR
THE LAST ONE HUNDRED YEARS, YOU
ALL BRING THAT DAY UP LIKE
I FORGOT.

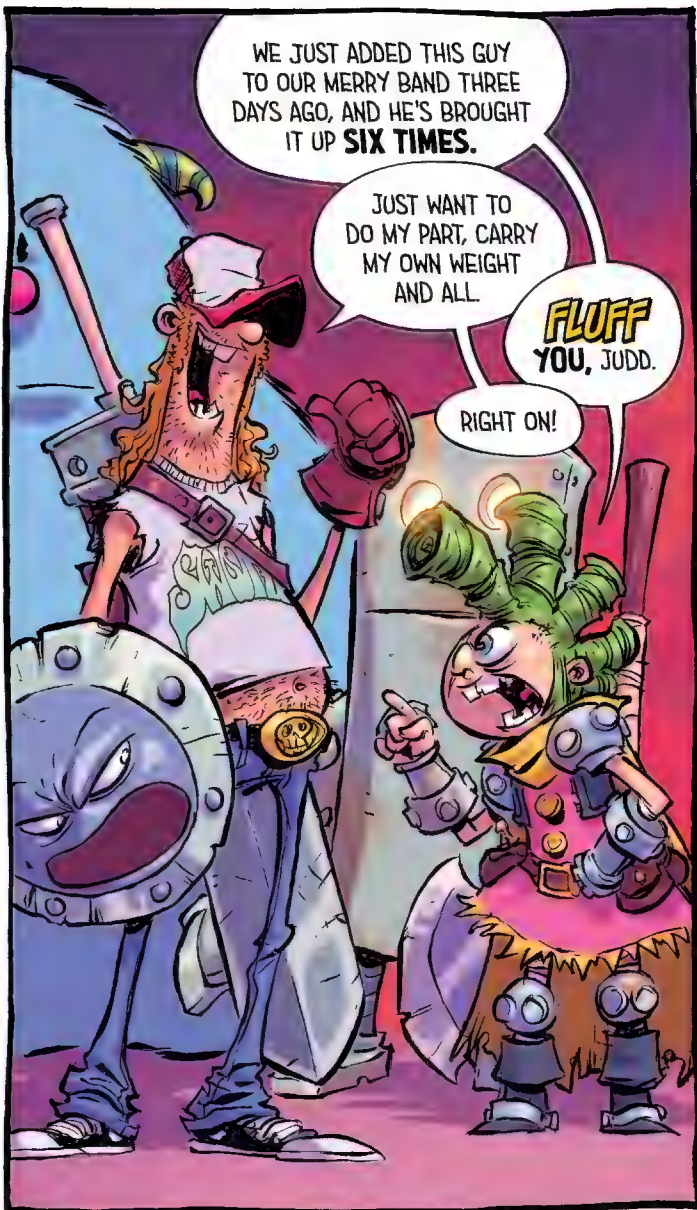


WE JUST ADDED THIS GUY
TO OUR MERRY BAND THREE
DAYS AGO, AND HE'S BROUGHT
IT UP **SIX TIMES**.

JUST WANT TO
DO MY PART, CARRY
MY OWN WEIGHT
AND ALL.

FLUFF
YOU, JUDD.

RIGHT ON!

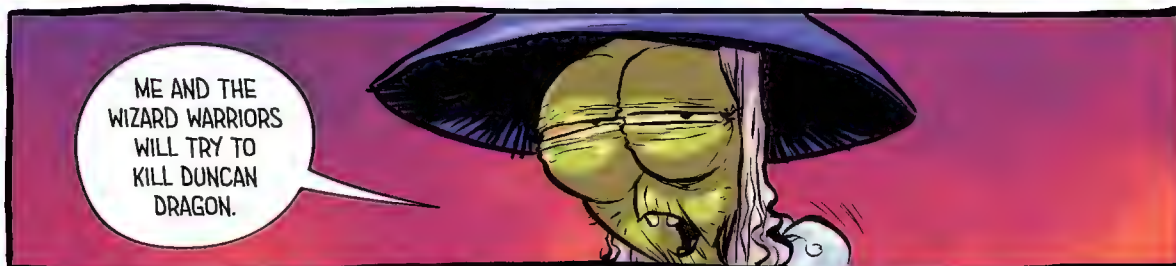
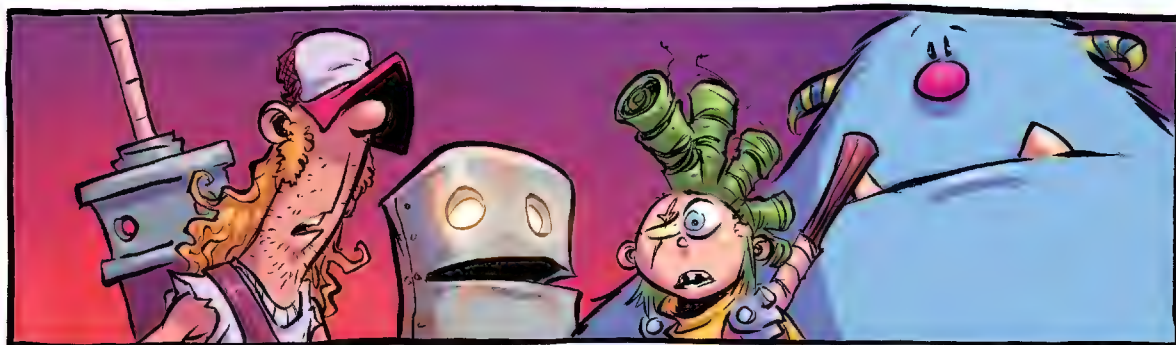


OKAY, I THINK WE
CAN ALL AGREE
THAT GERT'S
RESPONSIBLE FOR
US STANDING ON
THE EDGE OF
FAIRYLAND'S
LAST DAY. LET'S
EASE UP AND SEE
IF WE CAN FIX
HER MISTAKE.



THANK YOU,
LARRY.







A CENTURY OF GERT'S
ABUSE ON DUNCAN HAS
MANIFESTED AS THIS
BEAST OF FAIRYLAND'S
APOCALYPSE...



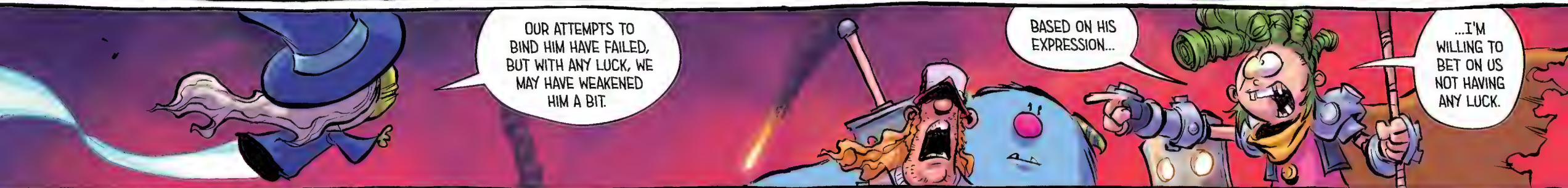
HOLD
NOTHING BACK,
FOR THIS IS OUR
LAST STAND!





THAT KAIJU
KID JUST WIPED
OUT THE WIZARDS.
SHOULD WE
ATTACK NOW?

BETWEEN THEM,
THEY HAD MORE MAGIC THAN
ALL THE MAGES IN FAIRYLAND
PUT TOGETHER. NOT SURE WHAT
MY AX AND YOUR ABSURDLY
DISPROPORTIONATE SWORD
CAN DO.



OUR ATTEMPTS TO
BIND HIM HAVE FAILED,
BUT WITH ANY LUCK, WE
MAY HAVE WEAKENED
HIM A BIT.

BASED ON HIS
EXPRESSION...

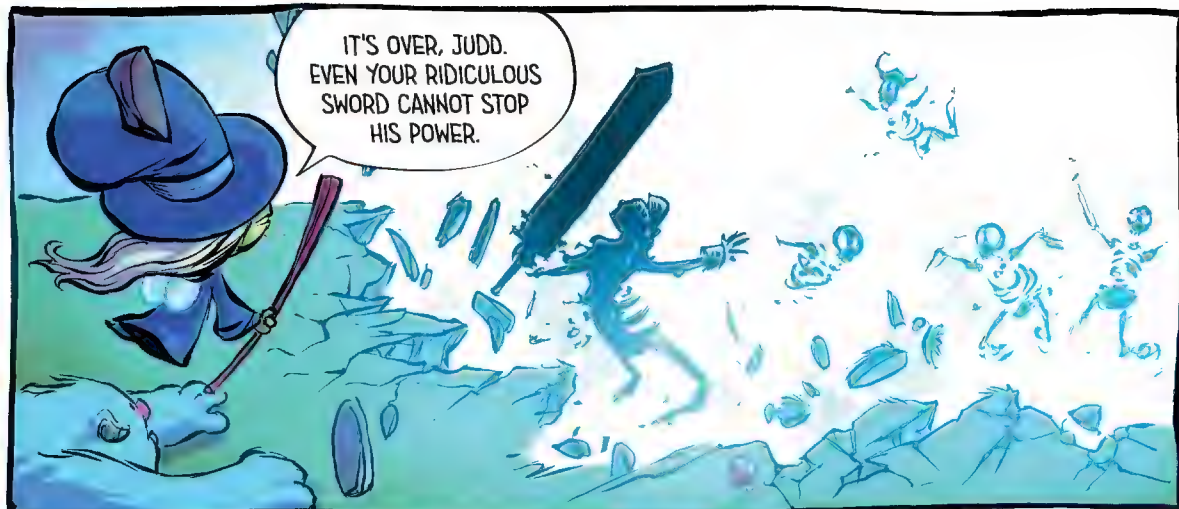
...I'M
WILLING TO
BET ON US
NOT HAVING
ANY LUCK.



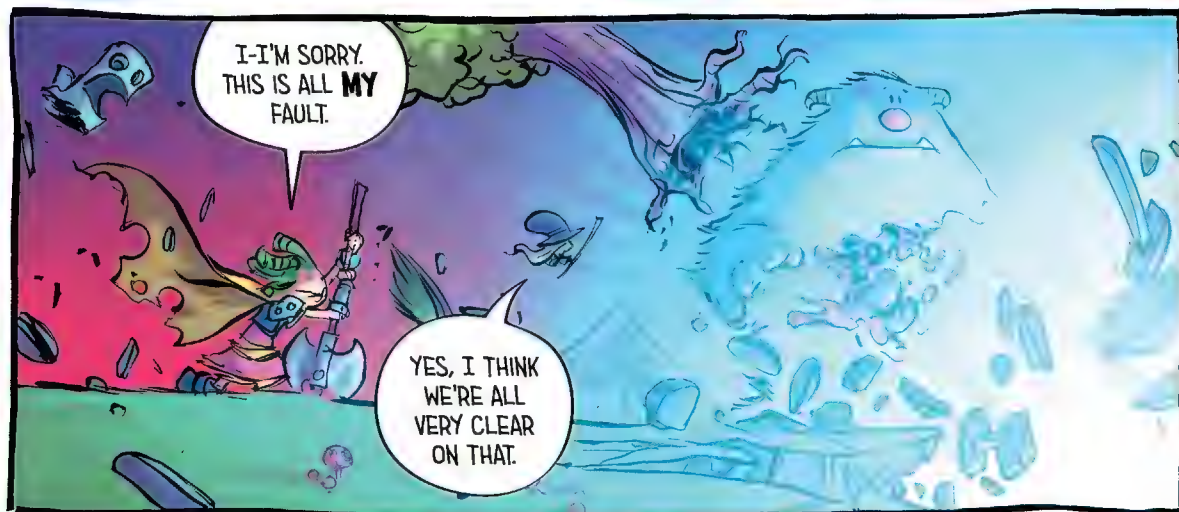
I WAS AFRAID
OF THIS. A CENTURY OF
ABUSE, NEGLECT, AND
BETRAYAL AT THE HANDS
OF GERTRUDE IS ABOUT
TO BE UNLEASHED,
AND...



...FAIRYLAND
WILL BE **NO**
MORE.

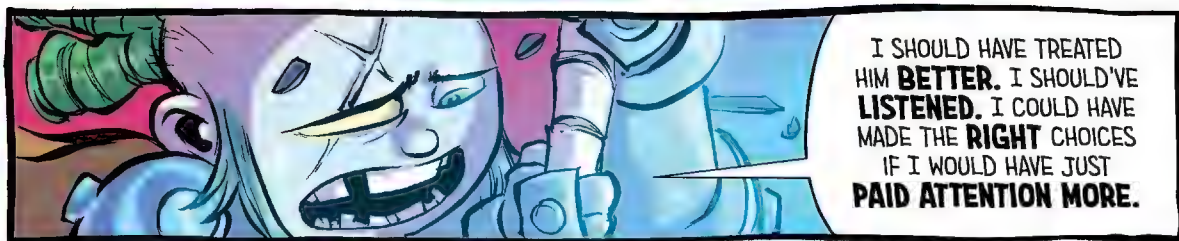


IT'S OVER, JUDD.
EVEN YOUR RIDICULOUS
SWORD CANNOT STOP
HIS POWER.



I-I'M SORRY.
THIS IS ALL **MY**
FAULT.

YES, I THINK
WE'RE ALL
VERY CLEAR
ON THAT.



I SHOULD HAVE TREATED
HIM **BETTER**. I SHOULD'VE
LISTENED. I COULD HAVE
MADE THE **RIGHT** CHOICES
IF I WOULD HAVE JUST
PAID ATTENTION MORE.



GERTRUDE,
THAT'S IT!



I THINK I HAVE A PLAN,
BUT IT WILL SURELY
MEAN THE DEATH
OF ME.

I THINK IT'S
SAFE TO SAY THAT'S A
SACRIFICE I'M WILLING
FOR **YOU** TO MAKE.

I'M GOING TO SEND YOU BACK TO WHERE IT ALL WENT WRONG. ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS GIVE YOURSELF THE KNOWLEDGE TO MAKE THE **RIGHT** CHOICES.



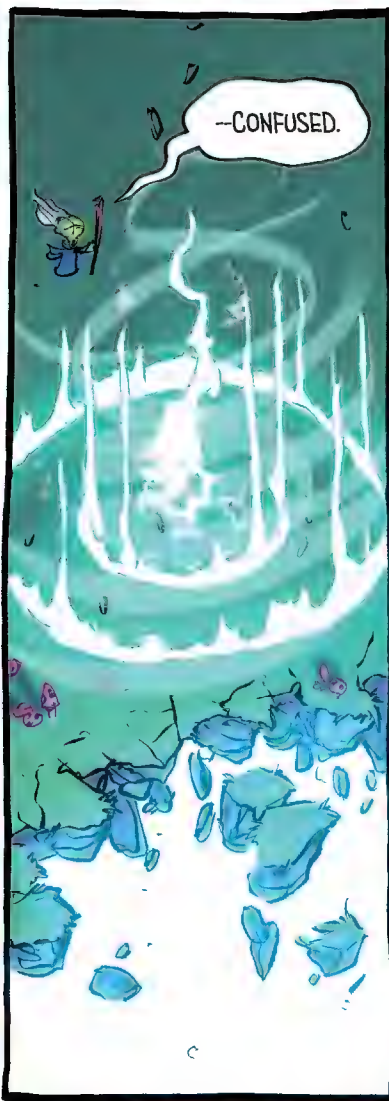
THAT'S **ALL**? I JUST HAVE TO EXPLAIN TO MYSELF WHICH WAY TO GO?



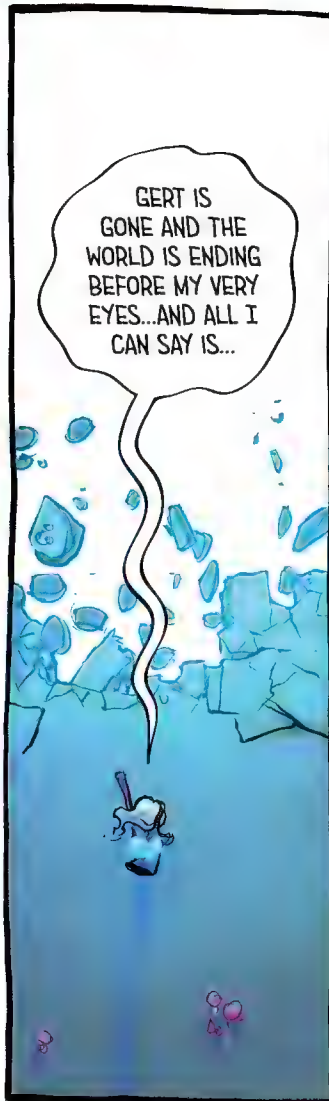
Y-Y-YES. JUST BE VERY CLEAR. YOU KNOW H-HOW EASILY YOU GET--



--CONFUSED.



GERT IS GONE AND THE WORLD IS ENDING BEFORE MY VERY EYES...AND ALL I CAN SAY IS...



...FINALLY!



I HAVE NO
IDEA HOW THIS
ISN'T SINKING
IN.

I MEAN,
I'M SAYING
WORDS, AND YOU'RE
NODDING AND SMILING,
AND ACTING LIKE YOU
UNDERSTAND.

WHAT IS THE
PROBLEM?



I'M
SORRY,
I REALLY
AM.

I TOTALLY GET
WHAT YOU'VE BEEN
SAYING ABOUT DREAMS
COMING TRUE, AND
DARKNESS TAKING OVER
THE WORLD, AND WHAT-
NOT, BUT STILL...HARD
TO DECIDE, YOU
KNOW?



JUST GO WITH YOUR
GUT. OR FLIP A COIN.
OR CLOSE YOUR EYES
AND INNIE-MEANIE-
MINIE-MOE IT.

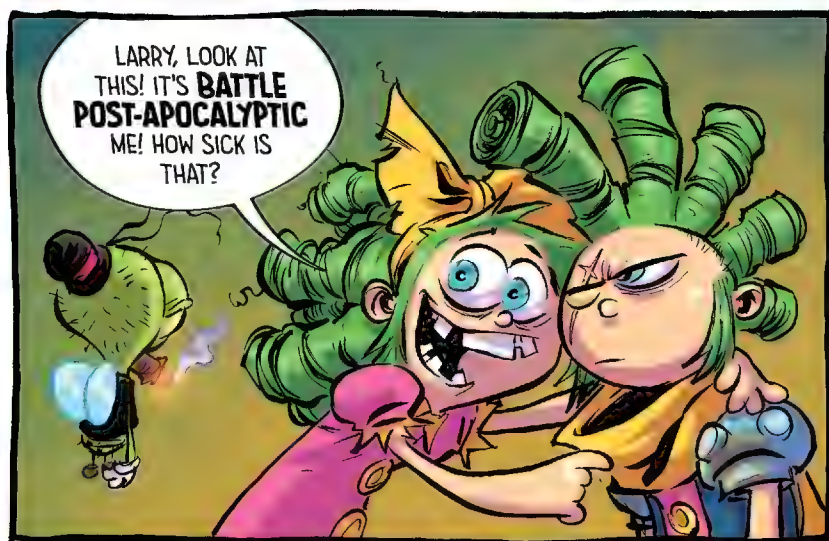
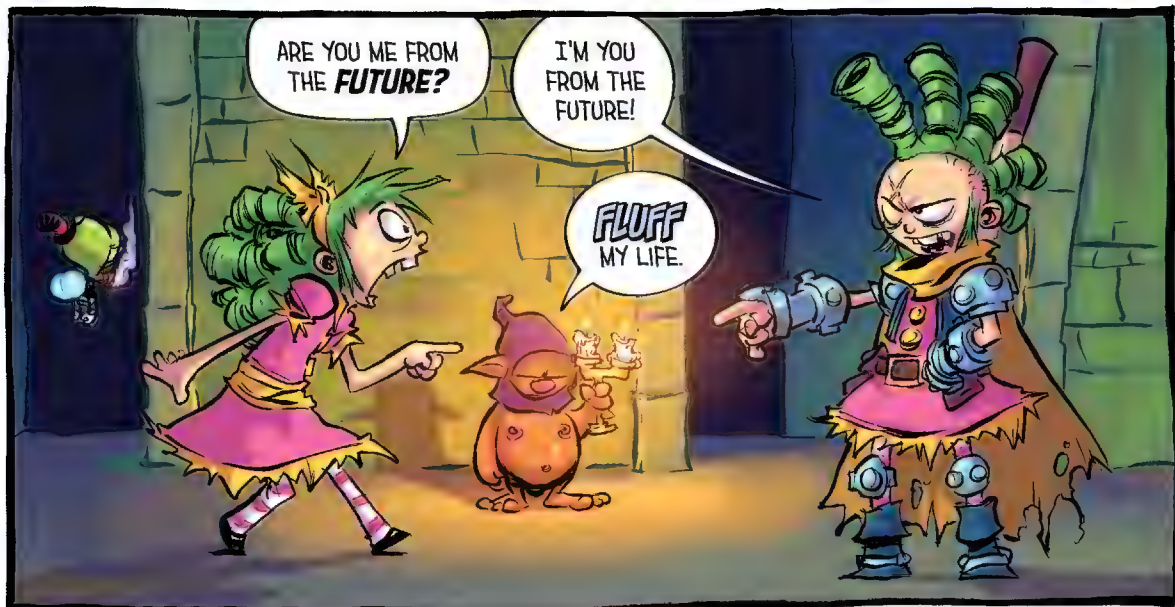
BUT
DEFINITELY **GO**.
PLEASE.



ALL RIGHT.
I THINK I'LL
GO--



STOP!

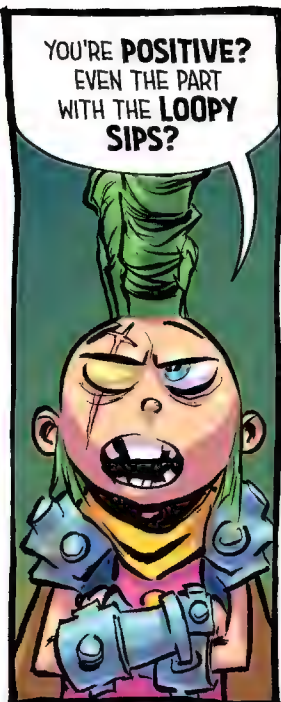


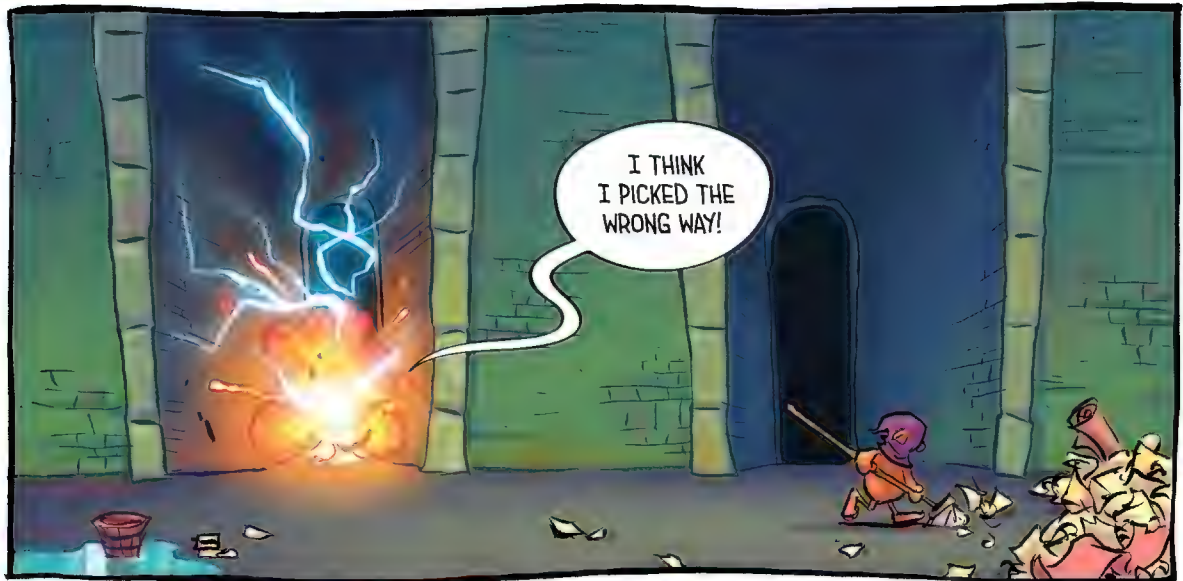
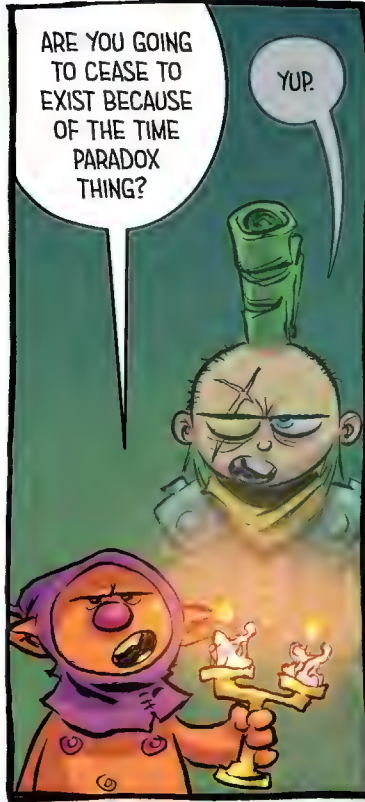
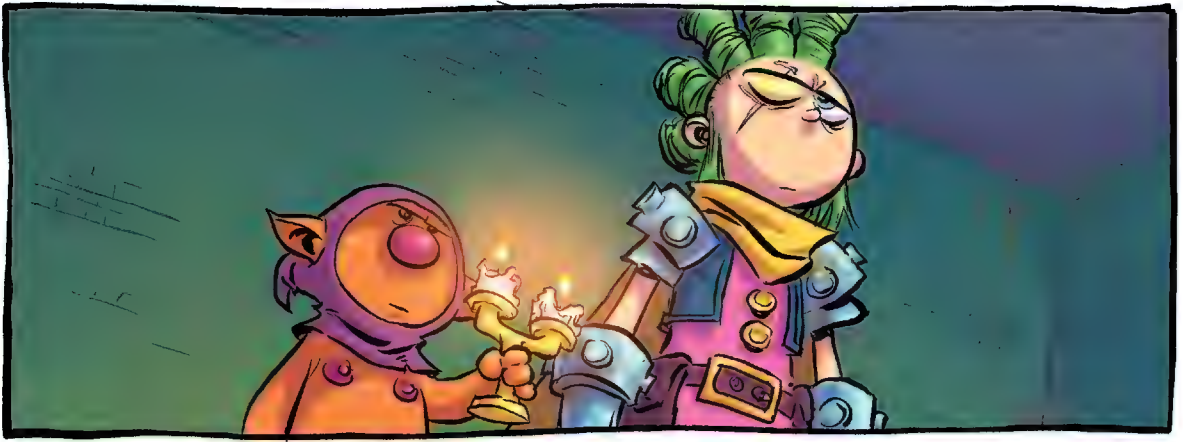
THREE HOURS LATER...

...AND IT'S AS SIMPLE AS THAT.

YOU'LL BE HOME INSTEAD OF DESTROYING FAIRYLAND AND EVERYONE WHO LIVES HERE.











VARIANT COVERS













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